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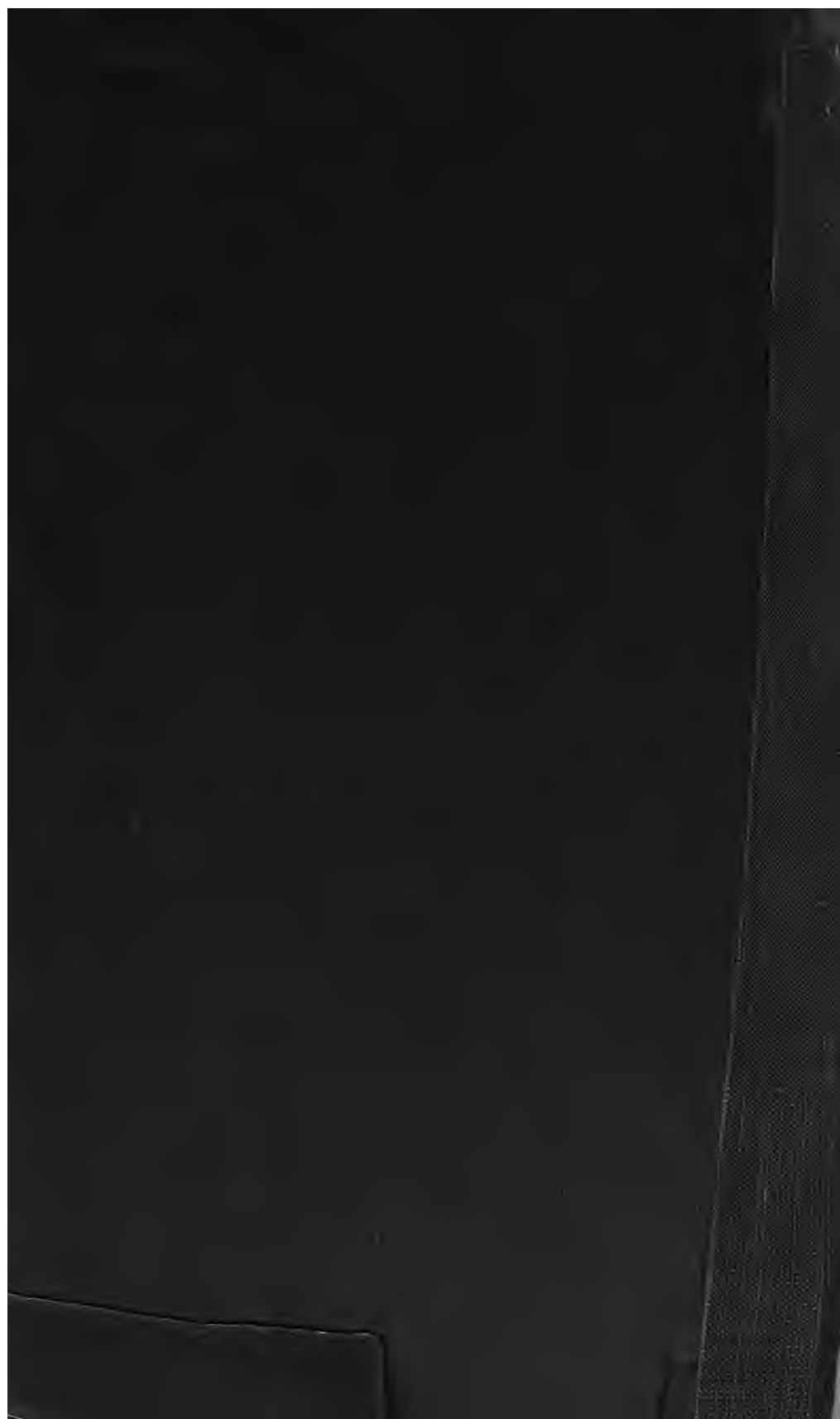
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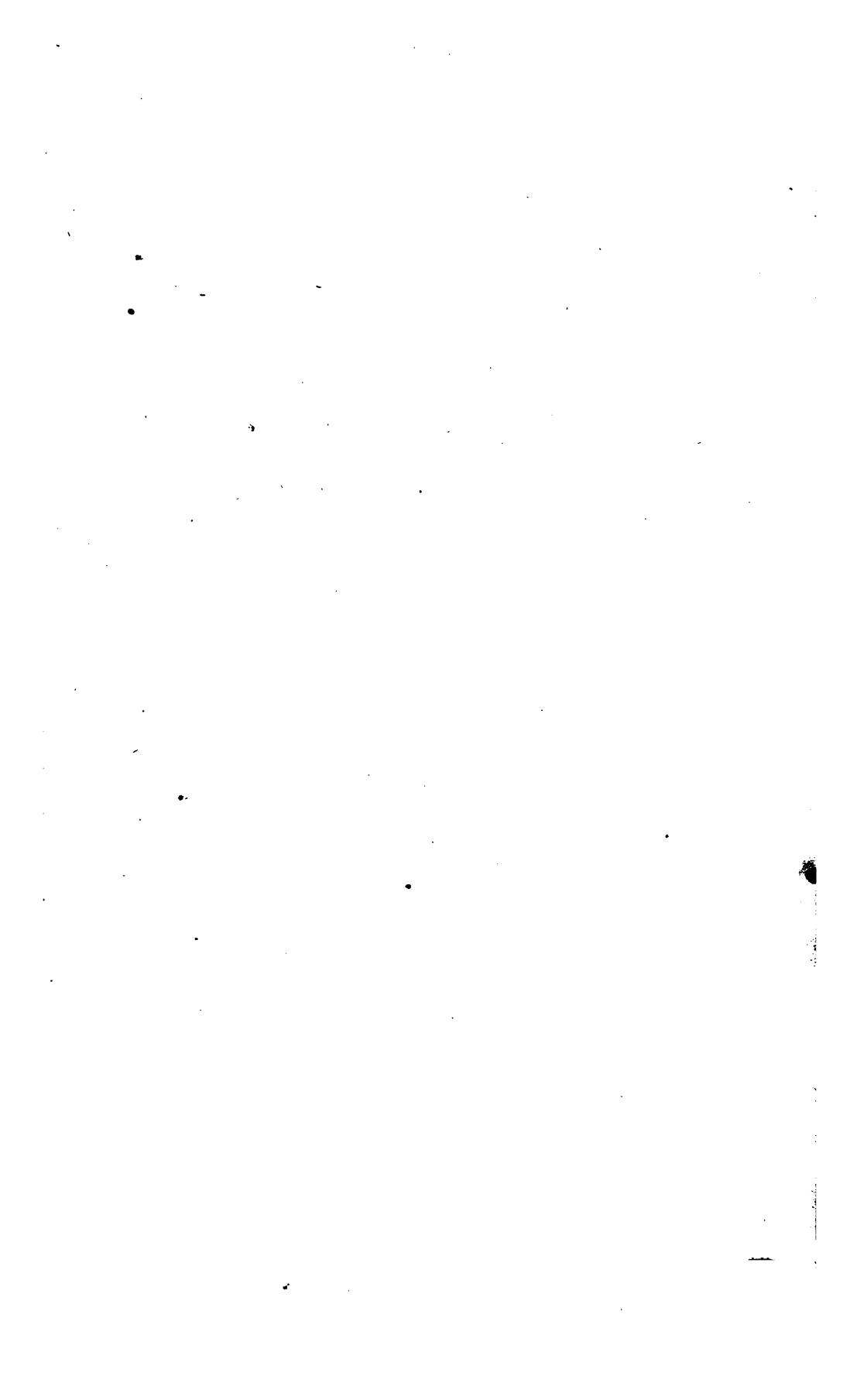
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**OF THE**  
**STATE OF MAINE.**  
**JANUARY, 1835.**

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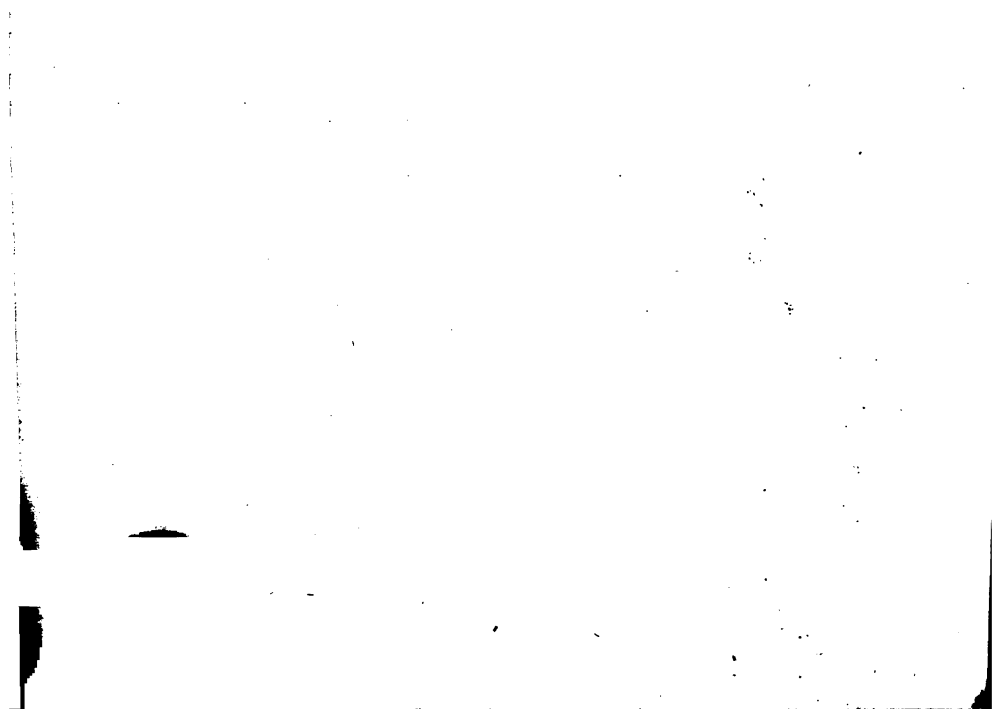
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# **SPECIAL LAWS**

## **OF THE**

# **STATE OF MAINE.**

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### **CHAPTER 513.**

**AN ACT** to incorporate the town of Edinburg.

**Approved January 31, 1835.**

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That River Township No. one in the sixth Range of Townships West of the Penobscot River Old Indian Purchase, with the inhabitants thereof be and the same is hereby incorporated into a town by the name of Edinburg, vested with all the powers, and subject to all the duties, of other incorporated towns of this State.

Description.

Corporate name.

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### **CHAPTER 514.**

**AN ACT** to incorporate the town of Enfield.

**Approved January 31, 1835.**

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Treat's Tract, and the remaining part of Township No. One, River Township, East side of Penobscot River, with the inhabitants thereof be and the same is hereby incorporated into a town by the name of Enfield, vested with all the powers and subject to all the duties of other incorporate towns of this State.

Description.

Corporate name.

## CHAPTER 515.

AN ACT to annex part of the territory north of Albion in the County of Kennebec to said town.

Approved January 31, 1835.

Boundaries.

Territory annexed to Albion.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That from and after the passage of this Act, the following described tract of unincorporated land adjoining, and north of, said Albion, in the County of Kennebec, to wit. Beginning at the southeast corner of the town of Clinton, in said County, thence running east south east on the south line of the Flag tract (so called) to the west line of Unity in the County of Waldo, about one mile and an half; thence south south west on the west line of Unity aforesaid about one hundred and twenty rods, to the north line of Albion aforesaid, thence west north west, on said north line of Albion, to the easterly line of a tract of land set off from the town of Clinton aforesaid and annexed to Fairfax (now said Albion) January thirty-first in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fourteen; thence northerly on the easterly line of said last mentioned tract to the bound first mentioned, together with the inhabitants thereon, be, and hereby are annexed to the town of Albion aforesaid.

## CHAPTER 516.

AN ACT in addition to an Act, incorporating the Hallowell Ferry Company.

Approved January 31, 1835.

Rates of ferriage.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That the rates of ferriage at the Hallowell Ferry, instead of the rates established by the Act to which this Act is in addition, shall be as follows; for each foot passenger, four cents; each person with a wheelbarrow, handcart or other vehicle, six and a quarter cents;



one person and horse, ten cents; one horse and waggon or cart, twelve and a half cents; one horse and chaise or sulkey, fifteen cents; each team including cart, waggon or sled, drawn by one yoke of oxen, eighteen and three quarter cents; and ten cents for each additional yoke of oxen; each coach, curricule or chariot, drawn by two horses, twenty five cents, and six cents for every additional horse; neat cattle, four cents each; sheep and swine, one cent each; and that when the passage is made between the hours of nine o'clock at night and six o'clock in the morning, double those rates respectively be allowed to be taken.

Double toll allowed to be taken between the hours of nine o'clock at night and six o'clock in the morning.

## CHAPTER 517.

AN ACT to annex certain land belonging to Jonas Jordan to the town of Raymond.

Approved January 31, 1835.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That, all the land belonging to Jonas Jordan of Raymond, lying on the South West side of the County road, in an unincorporated territory between the towns of Raymond and Gray in the County of Cumberland, be, and hereby is annexed to the town of Raymond.

Description.

## CHAPTER 518.

AN ACT to incorporate the town of Passadumkeag.

Approved January 31, 1835.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Township No. One Old Indian purchase, East of Penobscot River, with the inhabitants thereof be and the same is hereby incorporated into a town by the name of Passadumkeag, vested with all the powers and subject to all the duties of other incorporated towns of this State.

Description.

Corporate name.

## BARING BRIDGE.—TOWN OF BRADLEY.

## CHAPTER 519.

AN ADDITIONAL ACT "to incorporate the Baring Bridge."

Approved February 3, 1835.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled, That a further time of two years, from and after the passing of this Act, shall be allowed to the Proprietors of the Baring Bridge, to erect and complete the bridge which they were empowered to erect and complete, by an Act of the Legislature of this State, passed the twenty-sixth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-three, without forfeiting their charter, or losing any powers, privileges or immunities granted them by said Act.*

Further time al-  
lowed Proprie-  
tors to complete  
Bridge.

## CHAPTER 520.

AN ACT to incorporate the town of Bradley.

Approved February 3, 1835.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled, That Township numbered four, east side of Penobscot River, Old Indian Purchase, with the inhabitants thereof, be and the same hereby is incorporated into a town by the name of Bradley, vested with all the powers and subject to all the duties of other incorporated towns of this State.*

Description.

Corporate name.

CHAPTER 521.

AN ACT to incorporate the Franklin Manufacturing Company.

Approved February 5, 1835.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That E. D. Chamberlain, Isaac L. Folsom, Samuel Dunster, Richard W. Shapleigh, W. A. Marston, Nathaniel Wells, John Storer, Joshua Hobbs, Caleb Emery, William Emery, Jr. Nehemiah Eastman, John Davis, Nicholas Noyes, John Barker, Daniel Goodenow, William B. Holmes, and their associates, successors and assigns be and they hereby are created a Corporation by the name of "The Franklin Manufacturing Company" for the purposes of carrying on the manufacture and printing of Calicoes and other goods at Sanford in the County of York,—with power by that name to sue and be sued and use a common seal and have all the privileges and powers and be subject to all the duties, liabilities and requirements contained in an Act passed the eighth day of March one thousand eight hundred and twenty-one, defining the general powers and duties of manufacturing corporations and in an additional Act passed the seventh day of February, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-five, exempting from taxation manufacturing companies of cotton, wool, iron and steel for limited times.

Persons incorporated.

Corporate name.

Privileges, powers, duties, liabilities and requirements.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That said Corporation may purchase and hold real and personal estate to an amount not exceeding at any one time one hundred and fifty thousand dollars, and may erect on their real estate any buildings, works and machines that may be necessary or useful in carrying on the business aforesaid.

Amount of capital stock.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted,* That any three of the persons above named may call the first meeting of said corporation on giving such previous notice as they shall judge necessary, at which meeting the corporation may choose its officers, and transact any corporate business.

Manner of calling first meeting.

## CHAPTER 522.

AN ACT to repeal an Act, incorporating the First Universal Christian Society in the town of Fryeburg.

Approved February 6, 1835.

Former Act  
repealed.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That an Act entitled an Act to incorporate a number of the inhabitants of the town of Fryeburg into a Religious Society by the name of the First Universal Christian Society in the town of Fryeburg, passed June fourteenth, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ten, be and the same is hereby repealed.

## CHAPTER 523.

AN ACT authorizing the extending and enlarging of a wharf in the tide waters in Eastport.

Approved February 6, 1835.

Proprietors authorized to enlarge, and extend wharf in length beyond low water mark.

Provido.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Daniel Kilby and others who are, or who may hereafter become, proprietors of the property in Eastport bordering upon the Passamaquoddy Bay, and known by the name of Union Wharf, be, and hereby are, authorized at their own expense, to enlarge said Union Wharf, so that it shall be of convenient width, and extend in length so far beyond low-water mark, as that a vessel of five hundred tons burthen may, when loaded, lie afloat at the easterly end thereof at low water. *Provided, however,* that the said Daniel Kilby and others as aforesaid, shall not widen said wharf at all on its northerly side, nor widen it on its southerly side, so as to deprive the proprietors of Steam Boat Wharf of any of their just rights and privileges to the dock, now between said Union and Steam Boat Wharves.

CHAPTER 524.

AN ACT authorizing the erection of a Wharf in the tide waters in Eastport.

Approved February 6, 1835.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That John Clarke be, and hereby is authorized, at his own expense, to erect a Wharf upon his own land in Eastport, bordering upon the Passamaquoddy Bay, sixty feet wide, and extending in length so far beyond low water mark, as that a vessel of three hundred tons burthen may, when loaded, lie afloat at said wharf at low water. Said wharf to be built at the northerly part of the village of said town of Eastport, and between the land formerly owned by Warren Hathaway and land formerly owned by Jeremiah Pote.

Width and length  
of Wharf.

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CHAPTER 525.

AN ACT additional requiring the use of Broad Rimmed Wheels in the town of Hallowell in certain cases.

Approved February 11, 1835.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That the Act entitled "An Act requiring the use of Broad Rimmed Wheels in the town of Hallowell in certain cases" passed March eighth one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Former Act  
repealed.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That every inhabitant of said town of Hallowell, who, with the intent and for the purpose of complying with the provisions of the Act, to which this is additional, shall have procured and become the owner of, or who shall have contracted for, on or before the passing of this Act, such a pair of iron bound ox-cart or waggon wheels as is described in said first mentioned Act shall be entitled to receive out of the Treasury

Certain inhabit-  
ants entitled to  
bounty.

of said town, the sum of ten dollars as a bounty for such oxcart or waggon wheels—*Provided*, That it shall be the duty of every person claiming said bounty, to make out and deliver to the Treasurer of said town, a certificate, particularly describing the wheels for which he may claim the bounty, stating among other things, where, and by whom they were made, and of whom he bought them, and it shall be the duty of said Treasurer to see that it is correct, as far as it may be in his power, which certificate shall be kept on the files in his office.

Previous.

Duty of persons claiming bounty.

Duty of Treasurer.

Penalty for obtaining bounty under false statements:

—how recovered.

—how appropriated.

Town authorized to raise money to pay bounties.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted*, That if any person shall obtain said bounty by means of a certificate containing any statement known by him to be false; or shall knowingly demand and receive a bounty or any part thereof on any pair of wheels on which a bounty had before been paid, he shall on being convicted thereof, incur a penalty and forfeit and pay treble the amount of the bounty he shall so receive, said penalty or forfeiture to be recovered by indictment or information in the Court of Common Pleas, or by complaint before any Justice of the Peace within and for the County of Kennebec, to the use of said town, or by action of debt in any Court of competent jurisdiction, one half to the use of said town and the other half to the use of any person who shall sue therefor.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted*, That the said town of Hallowell is hereby authorized to raise and assess upon the polls and estates of the inhabitants thereof, and upon the lands of non-resident proprietors therein, respectively, sufficient money to pay the bounties which said town may be required to pay in pursuance of the provisions of the second section of this Act.

CHAPTER 526.

AN ADDITIONAL ACT, "to establish the Bucksport and Prospect Ferry Company."

Approved February 11, 1835.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That from and after the passage of this Act, the toll for each foot passenger shall be twelve and an half cents; for one person and horse thirty seven and an half cents; for one horse and chair, or chaise, with not exceeding two persons, fifty cents; for one horse and waggon or cart, with not exceeding two persons, fifty cents; for one horse and sleigh, with not exceeding two persons, fifty cents; for one ox-team with one person as driver sixty cents; for one stage coach and four horses including driver and passengers, one dollar; for neat cattle and beasts of burthen exclusive of those rode upon, or in carriages or teams, twelve and an half cents each. Rates of toll.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That all Acts or parts of Acts inconsistent with the provisions of this Act, be, and the same hereby are repealed. Former Acts repealed.

CHAPTER 527.

AN ACT to incorporate the proprietors of Canton Point Bridge.

Approved February 11, 1835.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Joseph Holland, Abiather Austin, John Elliot, John Hearsey, Asa Austin, Gideon Ellis, Cyrus H. Coolidge, David Stevens, Aaron Stevens, Jeremiah Stevens, Cornelius Holland, Joel Howard, Ralph Ames, Otis Hayford, Gustavus Hayford, Simeon Brett, and Jacob B. Leach, with their associates, successors and assigns, be, and they hereby are created, a Corporation by the name of the Proprietors of Canton Point Bridge; and, by that name, may prosecute and defend suits at law; have and use a common seal; choose all offi- Persons incorporated.  
Corporate name.  
Powers, privileges, &c.

**Proviso.** cers necessary for managing their business; and make by-laws for regulating their affairs, not repugnant to the laws of the State. *Provided*, That said bridge shall be erected within five years from the passing of this Act.

**Place of erection and manner of construction.** **SECT. 2.** *Be it further enacted*, That said Bridge shall be erected across the Androscoggin River, at or near the village at Canton Point; shall be constructed of good materials, of suitable height from the water, and not less than twenty feet wide, with suitable and sufficient covering and railing for the safety of passengers. Sufficient passage ways shall be left, for the passage of boats, rafts, logs and timber.

**Amount of toll granted to said corporation.** **SECT. 3.** *Be it further enacted*, That a toll is hereby granted to said Corporation, at the following rates, viz For each foot passenger, two cents; person and horse, six cents; person with hand cart, wheelbarrow, or other vehicle of equal burden, four cents; horse with cart, sled sleigh or waggon, driver and passengers, ten cents; ~~ent~~ team of two beasts including driver, cart, waggon, sled a sleigh and passengers twelve and a half cents; and ~~three~~ cents for each additional beast; horse and chaise, chair or sulkey, with one or two passengers, sixteen cents; pleasure carriages, drawn by two horses, thirty-five cents each with two cents for each additional horse; neat cattle, horses or mules, exclusive of those ridden or in teams as aforesaid two cents each; sheep and swine, half a cent each and only one person as a driver to each team shall be allowed to pass free of toll. **Certain persons allowed to pass free of toll.** Military officers and soldiers going to or returning from military duty, and persons attending funerals, and persons going to or returning from any place of public worship on the Sabbath day, shall be allowed to pass the Bridge free of toll.

**Rates of toll to be exposed to view at the place of collecting tolls.** **SECT. 4.** *Be it further enacted*, That, at the place of collecting tolls, the Corporation shall keep, constantly exposed to view, a board or sign, upon which shall be plainly and legibly expressed, the rates of toll aforesaid. And whenever the toll gatherer shall be absent from the toll house, the gate shall be left open, and the Bridge shall be free of toll.



SECT. 5. *Be it further enacted*, That any three of the above named persons may call the first meeting of the corporation, on giving such notice as they may think suitable.

Manner of calling  
the first meeting.

## CHAPTER 528.

AN ACT to increase the capital stock of the Cumberland Steam Navigation Company.

Approved February 11, 1835.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled*, That the Cumberland Steam Navigation Company are hereby authorized and empowered to increase the Capital Stock of said Company by adding thereto the sum of forty five thousand dollars.

Capital stock in-  
creased by adding  
thereto the sum  
of 45,000 dollars.

## CHAPTER 529.

AN ACT for the preservation, and to regulate the taking of fish, in Crooked River, between Songo Pond in the town of Albany in the County of Oxford inclusive, and Sebago Pond.

Approved February 11, 1835.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled*, That the person or persons who, for the time being, shall be the owner or owners of any dam which now is, or hereafter shall be erected on or across any part of Crooked River between Songo Pond inclusive, and Sebago Pond, which does or may obstruct the passing up said River of the fish called trout and pickerel, shall, at all times between the fifteenth day of August and the fifteenth day of October in each year, keep open, through, or by said dam, a passage way sufficient and convenient for the passage of said fish up the same; and if any such person or persons shall refuse or neglect so to keep open such a passage way, during said period,

Owners of dams  
to keep open  
through or by the  
same, sufficient  
passage ways for  
fish called Trout  
and Pickerel, at  
all times between  
the 15th of Aug.  
and the 15th of  
Oct. in each year.

Penalty for refusing or neglecting to keep open such passage way:—how recovered and appropriated.

he or they so refusing or neglecting, shall forfeit and pay for each and every day he or they shall so refuse or neglect, the sum of five dollars, to be sued for and recovered in an action of debt, before any Court of competent jurisdiction; one half thereof to the use of the town where the offence shall be committed and the other half thereof to use of the person who shall sue for the same.

Former Act repealed.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That an Act for the preservation, and to regulate the taking of fish, in Crooked River and Songo River, in the Counties of York and Cumberland, passed the sixteenth day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred, be, and the same is hereby repealed.

## CHAPTER 530.

AN ACT to incorporate the Proprietors of the Forest Grove Cemetery.

Approved February 11, 1835.

Names of persons incorporated.

Corporate name.

Powers, &c.

Real and personal estate — amount allowed to be held by Corporation.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled*, That John Eveleth, Benjamin Tappan, Henry W. Fuller, Thomas W. Smith, John Means, James L. Child, Bartholomew Nason, Frederic Wingate, Elias Craig, Jr. Jacob Hooper, Greenlief White, Charles Keene, Mark Nason, Benjamin Swan, William Hunt, John Hilton and William Norcross, their associates, successors and assigns, be and hereby are constituted a Corporation by the name of the "Forest Grove Cemetery;" and by that name may sue and defend in any Court of record, or in any other place; have and use a common seal; ordain, establish and put in execution, such by-laws, ordinances and regulations, as to them may appear necessary and convenient for the Government of said Corporation, and the prudent management of their affairs, provided the same be not repugnant to the laws of this State; take and hold not exceeding three acres of land in the town of Augusta, which shall be used solely and exclusively

for the purposes of a Cemetery for the dead; and personal property to an amount not exceeding twelve hundred dollars; with all the powers and privileges necessary to carry into full effect the objects contemplated by this Act of incorporation.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That said Corporation may divide the land held as aforesaid, into suitable and convenient allotments, pathways and alleys, and assign in writing to each Corporator, and to each person who shall hereafter become an associate, to be held by them respectively and by their respective heirs and assigns subject to such rules and regulations as the Corporation shall from time to time ordain and prescribe, for the sole purpose aforesaid, a portion of said land, not exceeding in quantity five square rods; *Provided however*, if any Corporator or associate his heirs or assigns shall use, or allow any other person to use the allotment assigned to him as aforesaid for any other purpose than as aforesaid, the same shall forthwith revert to, and become the property of this Corporation and it may be assigned by them to some other Corporator or associate for the purposes aforesaid, in the same manner as if no assignment had been previously made.

Manner of dividing land & assigning allotments to each corporator.

Proviso.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted*, That no part of said land either before or after such allotment or assignment shall be liable to be attached, taken, distrained or sold, on mesne process, execution or warrant of distress so long as the same shall be kept or used for the purposes of a Cemetery as aforesaid—and the same shall be free from taxation so long as the same shall be used and dedicated exclusively to the purposes aforesaid.

Land aforesaid exempt from attachment and free from taxation.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted*, That the officers of the Corporation shall be a President, Secretary and Treasurer who shall perform the duties usually belonging to such offices, and they shall also be a Board of Managers of the affairs of said Corporation—and the Corporation may elect any other officers the By-laws shall prescribe.

Officers.

**SECT. 5.** *Be it further enacted,* That the first meeting of this Corporation may be called by any three of the Corporators aforesaid by notice of the time and place thereof, published in any newspaper printed in Augusta ten days at least before the time appointed for holding the same.

Manner of calling first meeting.

## CHAPTER 531.

AN ACT in addition to "An Act to incorporate the Bangor House Proprietary."

Approved February 11, 1835.

**SECT. 1.** *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That the proprietors of the Bangor House be and the same are hereby authorized and empowered to purchase real estate adjoining to their present property to an amount not exceeding five thousand five hundred dollars:—*Provided* two thirds of the votes given at a meeting legally called for the purpose be in favor thereof: which estate when purchased, shall, on the delivery of the deed thereof, be deemed and become in law, personal property to be paid for, owned, improved, managed and considered in all respects in the same manner as other property of said Corporation.

Proprietors allowed to purchase additional real estate to amount of \$5500.

Proviso.

**SECT. 2.** *Be it further enacted,* That the said proprietors shall have the right and power at their option by vote of a meeting duly called for the purpose, either to sue for assessments, or to cancel and annul the share or shares of any member or corporator, who shall neglect, fail or refuse, for thirty days after notice given him, to pay twenty five per centum, at least, of all the assessments laid thereon prior to such notice; or who shall make surrender of his share, or shares and said surrender shall be actually accepted by vote of said Corporation; and after any share or shares be so cancelled and annulled or surrendered and accepted by vote as aforesaid, no previous owner thereof,

Right of Proprietors to sue for assessments, or cancel and annul shares in certain cases.

Previous owner not allowed to vote after the cancel or surrender of his shares.

nor his representative, shall have right nor be permitted to vote in any meeting of said proprietors, nor have claim to nor interest in such share or shares ever afterwards.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted*, That this Act shall be in force and operation, from and after the day of its passage and approval. Act, when to be in force.

## CHAPTER 532.

AN ACT to incorporate the Castine Mechanic Association.

Approved February 18, 1835.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled*, That William Hoskins, Joshua Philbrook, Ithiel Lawrence, Nathaniel Hooper, Thomas Thombs, Jotham L. Gardner, Otis Hatch, Thomas Sillins, Benjamin L. Wilson, Robert C. Straw, Benja. C. Robinson, Wentworth Stuart, George L. Homer, David S. O. Wilson, Theophilus Lufkin, John T. Bowen, Otis Little, R. H. Bridgham, William Averill, Joseph A. Deane, Hez Rowell, Noah Mead, E. Hodson, with their associates and successors be and they are hereby incorporated into a body politic, by the name of the Castine Mechanic Association, with power to sue and be sued, to have a common seal, and change the same, to make any by-laws for the government of said Corporation, not repugnant to the laws of the State, and to take and hold property to the value of three thousand dollars. Names of persons incorporated.  
Powers, &c.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That William Hoskins, be and he is hereby authorized to call the first meeting of said Association, by publishing notice of the time, and place of said meeting in some newspaper in the County of Hancock or by posting up notices in three or more places in Castine at least seven days previous thereto. First meeting, how called.

## CHAPTER 533.

AN ACT in addition to "An Act to incorporate the Portland and Cape Elizabeth Coal and Rail Road Company."

Approved February 18, 1835.

Number of Directors.

Property exempt from taxes for the term of 3 years.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That, instead of nine Directors, as is provided by the Act to which this is additional, said Corporation shall have only five Directors; and that all the property, said Company may employ and have in actual use in effecting the objects authorized and contemplated by said Act, shall be exempted from taxation for the term of three years.

## CHAPTER 534.

AN ACT to incorporate the Proprietors of Rumford Falls Bridge.

Approved February 18, 1835.

Names of persons incorporated.

Corporate name.

Powers, &c.

*SECT 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Rufus Virgin, Moses F. Kimball, John M. Eustis, Otis C. Bolster, Moses T. Cross, Edward Stevens, Aaron Stevens, David Abbot, fourth, Lyman Bolster, Thomas G. Clark, John E. Rolfe, Albert G. Glines, Charles E. Virgin, Chandler Abbot, Osgood Eaton, Jun., Jacob Abbot, second, David B. Glines, James H. Farnum, William W. Farnum, Stephen Farnum, Jun., Jesse Putnam, Joseph Adams, Aaron Virgin, David Farnum, Josiah Parker, Daniel Hall, Jeremiah Farnum, Jesse Hoit, Jeremiah Hall, Stephen Putnam, David Knapp, Enoch Knapp, and Alvan Bolster, with their associates, successors and assigns, be, and they hereby are created a corporation by the name of the Rumford Falls Bridge Corporation, and by that name may sue and be sued, have and use a common seal, choose all officers necessary to manage their business and make by-laws for the regulation of their affairs, not repugnant to the laws of the State.

**SECT. 2.** *Be it further enacted,* That said Bridge shall be erected across the Androscoggin River at a place called and known by the name of the Narrows, just above the Great Falls at a place where the abutment has been partly fitted, on which to commence building said Bridge, and on land owned by Rufus Virgin, on the north side of said River, thence across said River, to land, owned by the heirs of Charles and Timothy Walker, in the town of Rumford, a short distance above the Falls, shall be constructed of good materials, of suitable height from the water, and not less than twenty-four feet wide, with suitable and sufficient covering with a good framed railing on each side, or framed sides of sufficient height above the flooring of said Bridge to admit of a good roof sufficiently high for any loaded team or carriage and passengers to pass with convenience and safety over said Bridge and sufficient passage ways shall be left for the passage of rafts, logs and timber.

Place of location.

Manner of construction.

**SECT. 3.** *Be it further enacted,* That a toll is hereby granted to said corporation, at the following rates to wit. for each foot passenger, two cents; person and horse, six cents; horse with cart, sled or sleigh that is loaded and one driver, eight cents; each team of two beasts including driver, cart, waggon, sled or sleigh, ten cents; and two cents more for each additional beast; horse and chaise, chair or sulkey with one or two persons as passengers, fourteen cents; pleasure carriages drawn by two horses, thirty cents each; with two cents for each additional horse; each person with wheelbarrow or hand-cart, three cents; neat cattle, horses or mules exclusive of those ridden or those in teams as aforesaid, two cents; sheep and swine, half a cent each; and only one person as a driver shall be allowed to pass free of toll; persons going to or returning from military duty and persons attending funerals and persons going to or returning from any place of public worship on the Sabbath shall be allowed to pass the Bridge free of toll.

Rates of toll.

Certain persons allowed to pass free of toll.

**SECT. 4.** *Be it further enacted,* That at the place of collecting tolls, the corporation shall keep constantly exposed to view a board or sign upon which shall be plainly and

Rates of toll to be constantly exposed to view at the place of collection.

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legibly painted the rates of toll aforesaid, and whenever the toll-gatherer shall be absent from the toll-house the gate shall be left open and the Bridge be toll free.

**SECT. 5.** *Be it further enacted,* That any two of the persons above named may call the first meeting of the corporation by giving such notice as they may consider proper.

*Manner of calling first meeting.*

**SECT. 6.** *Be it further enacted,* That the term of five years from and after the passing of this Act be allowed said Corporation to erect and complete said Bridge.

*Time allowed to complete said Bridge.*

## CHAPTER 535.

AN ACT to incorporate the Upper Stillwater Bridge.

Approved February 19, 1835.

**SECT. 1.** *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Reuben Haines, Ira Wadleigh, Thomas Bartlett, George W. Cummings, Theodore H. Dillingham, Frederic H. Dillingham, Levi Young, Abiel W. Kennedy, Joseph Smith, William T. Hilliard, John T. Davis, Albert Smith, Henry Richardson, Solomon Moulton, James Purinton, Stover Rines, Alvin B. Gilman, Enoch P. Wood, Asa Pond, Daniel Davis, James Stinson, Joseph Moulton, William M. Burnham, Jacob Merrill, Ford Whitman, Isaac S. Whitman, Allen Haines, Ard Godfrey, Frederic Davis, William Jameson, Orinel Rogers, George Miller, Charles Emery, Moses M. Page, Frederic A. Fuller and Waldo T. Pierce, with their associates and successors be, and they hereby are, constituted a corporation by the name of the Proprietors of Upper Stillwater Bridge, for the purpose and with the power of erecting, repairing, rebuilding and maintaining a bridge over the Penobscot River, to connect Marsh Island with the main land in Orono, at Upper Stillwater Village and above the Falls at said Village. And said Corporation may take and hold such estate, real and personal as shall be necessary to carry said

*Names of persons incorporated.*

*Corporate name.*

*Place of location.*

*Powers.*



object into complete effect, with power to prosecute and defend suits at law, have and use a common seal; make by-laws, not repugnant to the laws of the State, for the management of their affairs; and at any legal meeting choose any necessary officers by a majority of the votes of proprietors present, allowing one vote to every share but no individual shall be entitled to more than twenty votes.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That said Bridge shall be constructed of suitable materials, and of the width of twenty six feet at least, well covered with plank or timber with sufficient railings on each side, and with passage ways for water at least forty five feet wide and sufficiently high for the passage of rafts of timber, boards and other lumber with two sufficient side walks for foot passengers. And unless said Bridge be completed in three years from the passage of this Act, this grant shall be void.

Manner of  
construction.

Time allowed to  
complete said  
Bridge.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted*, That a toll is hereby granted to said corporation at the following rates; viz.—for each horse and rider, two cents; for each sleigh sled, cart or waggon drawn by one horse, four cents; for each chaise chair or sulkey drawn by one horse, six cents; for each sleigh, sled, cart or waggon drawn by two beasts for loads or baggage, six cents; for each coach or phaeton drawn by two horses, ten cents; for each coach or phaeton, drawn by four horses, twelve cents; for each additional horse, one cent; for cattle driven or in droves, one cent per head; and for sheep swine or goats, four cents per dozen; and no tolls other than those above specified shall be exacted—said tolls shall commence when the Bridge is first opened for passengers—All persons going to or returning from any place of public worship in the town of Orono, on the Sabbath, and all inhabitants of said town going to or returning from the actual performance of military duty, or going to or returning from any town meeting of the inhabitants of said town of Orono, may pass said Bridge with their carriages exempt from toll; all foot passengers to pass over the same, toll free at all times.

Rates of toll.

Certain persons  
allowed to pass  
free of toll.

Corporation to keep rates of toll constantly exposed to view at the place of collection.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted*, That at the place of collecting the tolls, the corporation shall erect and keep a board or sign constantly exposed to view upon which shall be legibly and fairly expressed the rates of toll aforesaid—Whenever the toll gatherer shall not be at the toll house the gate shall be left open and the bridge free from toll.

## CHAPTER 536.

AN ACT to incorporate the Augusta High School.

Approved February 19, 1835.

Names of persons incorporated.

Corporate name.

Amount of real and personal estate.

Powers and privileges.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled*, That Nathan Weston, Reuel Williams, Benjamin Tappan, Greenwood C. Child, John Potter, Bartholomew Nason, Charles Williams, John Means, Henry W. Fuller, Allen Lambard, Daniel Williams, Elias Craig, Jr., James L. Child, Robert C. Vose, James Hall, Cyrus Briggs, Joseph G. Moody, John H. Hartwell, Jacob Hooper, James Bridge, Virgil H. Hewes, Carleton Dole, Luther Severance, Mark Nason, Edmund T. Bridge, James W. Bradbury, William L. Wheeler, Charles Keene, Benjamin Davis, Horatio Bridge, their associates and successors, be, and they hereby are constituted a body politic and corporate forever by the name of the Augusta High School;—and by that name shall have power to prosecute and defend suits at Law; to have and use a common seal; to take and hold for the objects of their association any estate real or personal, to an amount not exceeding twelve thousand dollars, and the same to use and dispose of at their pleasure; to make and execute any by-laws for the convenient management of their affairs not repugnant to the laws of the State; and generally to have and enjoy all the powers and privileges incident to corporations instituted for literary and scientific purposes.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That it shall be lawful for said Corporation, to erect, maintain and keep in repair, suitable buildings for the accommodation of one or more schools, and for the repository of such books, philosophical and other apparatus as the Corporation may deem necessary or proper.

Suitable buildings to be erected and maintained for the use of one or more schools.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted,* That the Capital Stock of said Corporation shall be divided into shares of Fifty Dollars each:—and the number of votes to which each stockholder shall be entitled at all meetings of said stockholders shall be according to the number of shares he shall hold in the following proportions, that is to say, for one share one vote, and every two shares above one, shall give a right to one vote more, provided no one member shall have more than ten votes.

Division of Capital Stock—number of votes allowed to be given by each Stockholder.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted,* That the shares or stock in this corporation shall be deemed and taken to be personal property, and held, transferred, pledged or sold as such, and whenever the corporation shall be dissolved, the property thereof, shall vest in the holders of the shares, at the time of such dissolution, according to their several and respective interests, subject to the legal and equitable claims of creditors of the Corporation to be enforced according to Law.

Shares or Stock shall be deemed to be personal property, and sold as such and vest in the holders at the time of dissolution of the Corporation.

SECT. 5. *Be it further enacted,* That any three of the Corporators aforementioned may call the first meeting of said Corporation, by advertisement of the time and place thereof in some newspaper printed in Augusta, seven days at least before the time appointed for holding said meeting.

Manner of calling first meeting.

## CHAPTER 537.

AN ACT in addition to an Act to incorporate the Georges Insurance Company.

Approved February 19, 1835.

Additional mode  
of investment of  
Capital Stock.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That in addition to the modes of investments provided by law, the Georges Insurance Company is hereby further authorized and empowered to invest the whole or any part of the Capital stock of said Company in loans secured by mortgages of real estate, or by pledges of stock in any Bank or Banks incorporated in this State, or in Bank stock of any of said Banks.

## CHAPTER 538.

AN ACT to incorporate the town of Elliotville.

Approved February 19, 1835.

Description.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That the Township numbered Eight in the Ninth Range of Townships north of Waldo Patent in the County of Somerset, with the inhabitants thereof be and the same hereby is incorporated into a town by the name of Elliotville, vested with all the powers, and subject to all the duties of other incorporated towns of this State.

Corporate name.

## CHAPTER 539.

AN ACT in addition to "An Act to incorporate the Augusta and Bangor Stage Company."

Approved February 24, 1835.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That from and after the passing of this Act, said Company shall have a right to take, hold and dispose of at pleasure, real and personal estate to the value of forty thousand dollars, which they may employ in establishing, and continuing lines of stages and other vehicles between Augusta and Bangor, and in the purchase, erection and repair of such stables, sheds and other buildings as they may find useful and convenient in the prosecution of their business.

Company allowed to hold real and personal estate to the value of \$40,000.

## CHAPTER 540.

AN ACT to incorporate the Frankfort Granite Company.

Approved February 24, 1835.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Daniel D. Brodhead, Charles Ellis, Thomas Emerson, their associates, successors and assigns, be, and they hereby are, created a corporation by the name of the Frankfort Granite Company:—for the purpose of quarrying, working, manufacturing vending and dealing in Granite, Marble, Slate and other stone in Frankfort, in the County of Waldo; and for these purposes shall have all the powers and privileges, and be subject to all the duties and requirements expressed in an Act defining the general powers and duties of manufacturing corporations, passed the eighth day of March, A. D. 1821—and may take hold and manage any real or personal estate, to an amount not exceeding at any one time one hundred thousand dollars.

Persons incorporated

Corporate name.

Powers, privileges, &c.

Amount of real and personal estate.

## CHAPTER 541.

AN ACT authorizing the County Commissioners of Waldo County to lay out a highway over the tide waters in Belfast, and the inhabitants of the town of Belfast to build a bridge over the same.

Approved February 24, 1835.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That the Court of County Commissioners for the County of Waldo are hereby authorized to lay out a highway across Belfast River in the town of Belfast at or near Ross' Point, and that the town of Belfast be and hereby is authorized to build a Bridge across said River, at such place as shall be designated by said Court of County Commissioners, and the same to maintain as a free Bridge with a suitable draw or passage way for vessels and shall also keep open at all times sufficient passages and sluice ways for gondolas and rafts.

County Commissioners authorized to lay road over tide waters.

Suitable draw and passage way to be maintained.

## CHAPTER 542.

AN ACT to set off Samuel Lord from the town of Falmouth and annex him to the town of Westbrook.

Approved February 24, 1835.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Samuel Lord together with his Farm on which he now lives, be, and the same hereby are set off from the town of Falmouth and annexed to the town of Westbrook.

Samuel Lord and land to be set off from Falmouth and annexed to Westbrook.

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CHAPTER 543.

AN ACT establishing Howland Academy.

Approved February 26, 1835.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That William Emerson, William Hammatt, Ira Fish, James Saunders, Moses Emerson, William R. Miller, Dennis W. Carpenter, Solomon Goodall, Benjamin Milliken, William S. Lee, William C. Hammatt, Daniel Wood, James Merrill, Obadiah Haynes, James G. Small, Daniel C. Hasty and Joseph Emery and their successors forever, be, and they hereby are constituted and made a body politic, by the name of the Trustees of Howland Academy; with power to prosecute and defend suits at law; to have a common seal and to alter it at pleasure; to establish an Academy at Howland in the County of Penobscot, for the promotion of literature, science and morality; to make any By-Laws for the management of their affairs, not repugnant to the Laws of the State; to choose such officers as they may deem proper; to hold any property, real or personal, by gift, grant, or otherwise, the yearly income of which shall not exceed the sum of three thousand dollars; and to receive all property, which may heretofore have been given or subscribed for the benefit of such Academy.

Names of persons incorporated.

Corporate name.

General powers.

Am't of real and personal property.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That said Trustees may at any time remove any one of their number, whom they shall adjudge incapable of discharging said trust; and choose additional Trustees and fill vacancies in said board by ballot; *Provided however,* that the number of said Trustees, shall at no time be less than nine nor more than seventeen, a majority of whom shall constitute a quorum.

Certain Trustees liable to be removed and new ones chosen.

Proviso.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted,* That Dennis W. Carpenter Esquire is hereby authorized to call the first meeting of said Trustees in such manner as he shall deem proper; *Provided however,* That unless the said Trustees shall within three years from the passing of this Act, be in possession of funds or property for the use of said Academy, or vested

Manner of calling first meeting.

Proviso.

## VASSALBOROUGH ACADEMY.

in a building for the same purpose, which together shall amount to the sum of fifteen hundred dollars, and shall also have commenced instruction in said Institution within that time, the powers granted by this Act shall be null and void.

## CHAPTER 544.

AN ACT to incorporate the Vassalborough Academy.

Approved February 28, 1835.

**Names of persons incorporated.** **SECT. 1.** *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Jacob Southwick, Thomas Carlton, Geo. W. Pruden, Stephen Low, Moses Rollins, Stephen Frye, Enoch Marshall, William Owen, Abiel Getchell, Calvin Morgan, Moses Purinton, David Folsom, Moses G. Rollins, Edward Fossett, Eben'r Fry, Ezekiel Small, Thomas Fry, Daniel Marshall, their associates and successors, be, and they hereby are, constituted a body politic and corporate forever by the name of the

**Corporate name.** Vassalboro' Academy; and by that name shall have power to prosecute and defend suits at law; to have and use a

**Am't of real and personal property.** common seal; to take and hold for the objects of their association any estate real or personal, to an amount not exceeding twelve thousand dollars, and the same to use

**Powers and privileges.** and dispose of at their pleasure: to make and execute any By-Laws for the convenient arrangement of their affairs, not repugnant to the Laws of the State; and generally to have and enjoy all the powers and privileges incident to corporations instituted for literary and scientific purposes.

**Corporation to maintain suitable buildings, &c.** **SECT. 2.** *Be it further enacted,* That it shall be lawful for said corporation, to erect, maintain and keep in repair, suitable buildings for the accommodation of one or more schools, and for the repository of such books, philosophical and other apparatus, as the corporation may deem necessary or proper.

**Shares \$50 each, and each stockholder allowed as many votes as he has shares.** **SECT. 3.** *Be it further enacted,* That the Capital Stock of said Corporation shall be divided into shares of Fifty dollars each; and at all meetings each stockholder shall



have as many votes as he holds shares. *Provided, however* Proviso.  
that no stockholder shall ever have a majority of votes.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted*, That the shares or stock in this Corporation shall be deemed and taken to be personal property, and held, transferred, pledged or sold as such, and whenever the Corporation shall be dissolved, the property thereof shall vest in the holders of the shares, at the time of such dissolution, according to their several and respective interests, subject to the legal and equitable claims of creditors of the Corporation to be enforced according to law. Shares to be deemed as personal property.

SECT. 5. *Be it further enacted*, That any three of the incorporators aforementioned, may call the first meeting of said Corporation, by advertisement of the time and place thereof in some newspaper printed in Augusta, seven days at least before the time appointed for holding said meeting. Manner of calling the first meeting.

## CHAPTER 545.

AN ACT to establish the Waterville Liberal Institute.

Approved February 28, 1835.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled*, That there be, and hereby is established in the town of Waterville, in the County of Kennebec, an Institution for the purpose of instructing youth in the several branches usually taught in High Schools and Academies; to be called and known by the name of the "Waterville Liberal Institute," and Simeon Mathews, Jediah Morrill, Abijah Smith, Calvin Gardner, Silas Redington, Ebenezer Bolkham, Daniel Paine, Alpheus Lyon, Wm. H. Dow, Erastus O. Wheeler, with their associates and successors, are hereby appointed Trustees of said Institution, with all the powers usually exercised by Trustees of similar Institutions. Institution where to be established.  
Corporate name.  
Names of Trustees.

Powers and  
privileges.

SECT. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That said Trustees, by the name of "The Trustees of the Waterville Liberal Institute," may take and hold estate, real and personal, in trust for said Institution, and for the use and benefit of the same, in amount not exceeding Twelve Thousand Dollars, and by said name may sue and be sued, and exercise such other privileges, in the transaction of business, as are usually granted to similar corporations.

Number of  
Trustees.

SECT. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That the number of Trustees shall not be more than fifteen nor less than seven, five of whom shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business; and said Trustees shall have full power to organize the Board by choosing all such officers as they may need; and to adopt and establish such By-laws and regulations, not contrary to law, as they may deem expedient; to put into operation said Institution, by employing such Instructor or Instructress, or both, as they may see cause; and to take such measures, for the prosperity and welfare of said Institution, as they may deem expedient and proper.

Trustees to fill  
vacancies.

Mode of calling  
first meeting.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted*, That the Trustees may fill all vacancies of the Board by election at any regular meeting thereof, and by a concurrence of two thirds of the Trustees at any such meeting, may discharge any member of said Board of Trustees. And Calvin Gardner is hereby authorized to call the first meeting of said Board, by giving each of the Trustees personal notice, seven days at least before the time of meeting.

Powers may be  
enlarged or re-  
strained.

SECT. 5. *Be it further enacted*, That the powers granted by this Act may be enlarged, restrained, or amended, at the pleasure of the Legislature.

## CHAPTER 546.

AN ACT to set off a part of Starks and annex the same to Mercer.

Approved March 2, 1835.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That the territory lying in the Town of Starks in the County of Somerset, and bounded as follows, Beginning at the southeast corner of said town; and thence extending west about four miles to Sandy River, thence down the centre of said river to a point opposite the west corner of land owned by John Frizzle at the mouth of Bog Brook; thence south easterly by said Frizzle's line to the south corner of his said lot; thence northeast about one hundred rods to the dividing line between the great Lot E. one, and E. two;—thence by said line east south-east, about two miles to the Town line; thence by said Town line south to the first mentioned bound, be, and the same is hereby with its inhabitants, and any pauper or paupers whose home and place of residence is thereon, set off from said town of Starks and annexed to said town of Mercer.—*Provided however,* That the inhabitants and nonresident proprietors of the land thus set off shall be liable to pay all assessments upon them or their estates remaining unpaid, and their proportion of all debts which were due from said town of Starks on the 24 day of January, 1835,—and also their proportion of any bill of cost or damage, which may be recovered against said town of Starks, on any action or actions now pending—*And be it further provided,* That nothing in this Act contained, shall be construed to affect the rights of any of the proprietors in the School House near John Frizzle's.

Boundaries of territory set off.

Proviso.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That the valuation of said towns of Starks and Mercer be, and the same is hereby so altered, that the valuation of Starks shall be fifty-four thousand, three hundred and forty-seven dollars, and fifty-six cents—and the valuation of Mercer shall be sixty-three thousand, six hundred and ninety-five dollars, and thirty-two cents:

Alteration of valuation.

## CHAPTER 547.

AN ACT for the preservation of the Floating Bridge in the town of Dexter.

Approved March 5, 1835.

**SECT. 1.** *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That if any person shall, after the passage of this Act drive any team over or upon the Floating Bridge across Pleasant Pond in the town of Dexter, consisting of more than four oxen or horses, or with a cart or waggon with more than two tons burthen thereon, he shall forfeit all claim to any damages against said town, which he may have sustained in passing with such team, vehicle, or load as aforesaid—*Provided*, said town shall keep constantly exposed to view a board, in a conspicuous place at each end of said Bridge, upon which the substance of this regulation shall be plainly and legibly painted.

Two tons burthen only allowed to one cart or waggon.

Proviso.

**SECT. 2.** *Be it further enacted,* That this Act shall continue and be in force for the term of five years from and after the passing of this Act, but no longer.

Time allowed for Act to be in force.

## CHAPTER 548.

AN ACT authorizing the County Commissioners for the County of Kennebec to lay out a road over Eastern River.

Approved March 5, 1835.

**SECT. 1.** *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That the County Commissioners for the County of Kennebec shall have power, in case they deem it expedient, to lay out a County road over Eastern River, near William Kendall's Wharf in Pittston and the tide waters of the same.

County Commissioners empowered to lay road over Eastern river.

**SECT. 2.** *Be it further enacted,* That said Commissioners, in case they deem said road of public benefit and expediency, shall have power to fix the kind and width of

County Commissioners to fix the kind and width of draw or passage way.

any draw in the Bridge over said River, or the passageway under and through said Bridge, and also the width and mode of construction of such Bridge so as not essentially to injure the navigation of the river.

## CHAPTER 549.

AN ACT to incorporate the Wild River Bridge Company.

Approved March 6, 1835.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Seth Wight, Barker Burbank, George W. Chapman, Thomas Peabody, Asa Kimball, and James Burbank with their associates, successors and assigns be and they hereby are incorporated into a company by the name of the Wild River Bridge Company, and by that name may sue and be sued; have a common seal, choose all officers necessary to manage their business, and make by-laws for regulating their affairs, not repugnant to the laws of the State.

Names of persons incorporated.

Corporate name.

Powers.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That said Corporation shall have power to maintain and keep in repair a Bridge now erected over Wild River, so called, in the town of Gilead in the County of Oxford on the post road leading from Lancaster through said town of Gilead to Bethel—and it shall be the duty of said Corporation to keep and maintain said Bridge in good passable repair, and to be in all respects safe and convenient for passengers with their teams, horses, and carriages to pass over the same.

Place of location.

Duty of corporation to keep the Bridge in repair.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted,* That a toll is hereby granted to said Corporation, at the following rates, to wit:—For each foot passenger one cent, one person and horse six cents, single horse cart, sled or sleigh, eight cents, each team including cart, wagon, sled or sleigh drawn by two beasts, twelve and a half cents, and for each additional beast above two, two cents, each single horse and chaise, chair or sulkey, sixteen cents, each coach, char-

Rates of toll.

iet, phaeton or currie drawn by two horses, thirty cents, and for every additional beast, two cents, neat cattle, horses, mules or asses, exclusive of those ridden or in carriages, two cents, each sheep and swine, half of one cent, each—and to each team one person only shall be allowed as a driver to pass free of toll—*Provided*, That at all times when the toll gatherer does not attend his duty the gate shall be set open; and the said Corporation shall at all times keep at the place where the toll is collected, exposed to view, a sign, with the rates of toll legibly printed or painted thereon—Persons going to or returning from military duty, and persons attending funerals, and persons going to or returning from public worship on the Sabbath, shall be allowed to pass the bridge free of toll.

*Proviso.*

Corporation to keep rates of toll exposed to view.

Certain persons allowed to pass free of toll.

Manner of calling first meeting.

Former Acts repealed.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted*, That any two of the persons above named, may call the first meeting of the Corporation on giving such notice as they may consider proper.

SECT. 5. *Be it further enacted*, That an "Act authorizing the town of Gilead to build a bridge over Wild River" passed February twenty-third, eighteen hundred and twenty-five, and an "Act to increase the toll of a Bridge over Wild River in the town of Gilead," passed February twenty-fifth, eighteen hundred and thirty-four, be and the same are hereby repealed, from and after the passage of this Act.

## CHAPTER 550.

AN ACT additional to an "Act to incorporate the Calais Rail-Way Company."

Approved March 10, 1835.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled*, That there be and hereby is granted to the proprietors of the Calais Rail-way Company, a further extension of time, in which to make and complete said Rail-way, of three years from and after the time limited for that purpose in the charter of said

Extension of time allowed to complete Railway.

Corporation, and that said Act be and the same is hereby revived and shall be and continue in full force in the same manner as if the limitation in said original Act had not expired before the passing of this Act.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That Newl D. Shaw, Luther Brackett and Seth Emerson be and they hereby are associated with the original Corporators and considered and deemed as members of said original Corporation, entitled to all the rights, privileges and immunities and subject to all the duties, liabilities and requirements contained in the Act to which this Act is additional.

Additional corporators.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted*, That the extension of time granted in the first section hereof, is upon the condition that the Proviso contained in the fifth section of the original Act incorporating said Company, and the tenth section of said Act, shall be considered repealed, and as in no manner restraining the Legislature from passing any Act relative to said Company, or Act of incorporation, which they might have passed, if said Proviso and said tenth section had never been a part of said Act.

Condition relating to proviso in original act.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted*, That any two of the persons named in said original Act, or in this additional Act, may call the first meeting of said Corporation in the manner prescribed in the eighth section of said original Act.

Manager of calling first meeting.

## CHAPTER 551.

AN ACT authorizing the erection of a Dam across Winegance Creek.

Approved March 10, 1835.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled*, That William M. Rogers of Bath, his heirs and assigns, be and they hereby are authorized to erect and maintain a dam for the purpose of raising a water power to propel the machinery of Mills and other Manufactories, across Winegance Creek, from land of said Rogers

Wm. M. Rogers and heirs authorized to erect dam.

**Place of location.** in the town of Bath, to land of said Rogers in Phippsburg, and on or adjoining to said dam, to erect and maintain mills or other manufactories; *Provided, however,* that said Rogers, his heirs and assigns shall be liable to the owners of land or marsh situate on said Creek for damages, if any, from flowage of the same occasioned by said dam, unless said Rogers and said owners shall have otherwise agreed, in the same manner as if this Act had not been passed.

## CHAPTER 552.

AN ACT to incorporate the Hancock Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

Approved March 10, 1835.

**Names of persons incorporated.** **Corporate name.** **Office to be kept at Castine.** **SECT. 1.** *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Hezekiah Williams, Samuel Adams, Thomas Adams and William Witherle, with their associates and successors, being owners of buildings, shall be a Corporation under the name of the Hancock Mutual Fire Insurance Company, who shall keep their office at Castine, and enjoy all privileges and powers incident to such Corporations.

**Manner of voting.** **SECT. 2.** *Be it further enacted,* That at all meetings of said Corporation, every matter shall be decided by a majority of votes, each member having as many votes as he has policies, with the right of voting by proxy; and such Corporation may choose such officers, and for such length of time as they may deem necessary; but no policy of insurance shall be made until the sum subscribed to be insured shall amount to Fifty Thousand Dollars.

No policy to be made until the sum of \$50,000 is subscribed.

**Manner of insurance.** **SECT. 3.** *Be it further enacted,* That said Corporation may insure for any term from one to ten years, any house or other building in this State, household furniture and goods, against damage arising to the same by fire originating in any other cause than by design in the insured, and to any amount not exceeding three fourths of the value of the property insured. And in case any member shall sus-



tain damage by fire over and above the then existing funds of the Corporation, the Corporation, or such of its officers as shall by vote be designated for that purpose, shall assess such further sum or sums upon each member, as may be in proportion to the sum by such member insured, and at the rate of hazard originally agreed on.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted*, That the monies of said Corporation shall be invested in the stock of some incorporated Bank, stock of the United States, or of this State, or in notes or bonds secured by mortgages. And each of the insured shall have a right, at the expiration of his policy or policies, to demand and receive from the corporation such share of the remaining funds in proportion to the sum by him actually paid in, as the corporation by its by-laws existing at the time of making his policy shall determine.

Monies of the corporation to be invested in Bank Stock, &c.

Rights of persons insured.

SECT. 5. *Be it further enacted*, That whenever any person shall sustain any loss by fire of the property so insured, he shall within sixty days next after such loss, and before any repairs or alterations are made, give notice in writing of the same to some officer of said corporation or other person appointed thereby for that purpose, whose duty it shall be to view immediately where the fire happened, and inquire into the circumstances attending it, and determine in writing, by him or them subscribed, the amount, if any, of the liability of said Corporation for such loss; and if the sufferer shall not acquiesce in such determination, such sufferer within sixty days next after such determination is made known, may bring an action at law against said Corporation, in the County where the loss happened, and in case the plaintiff in such action shall not on trial recover, as damages more than the amount determined as aforesaid, no costs shall be allowed the plaintiff, but the Corporation shall recover its costs, and execution shall issue for the balance in favor of the party entitled to recover it.

Persons sustaining loss to give certain notice.

Amount of losses, how determined.

Sufferer may bring an action in county where loss happened.

Costs, to whom allowed.

SECT. 6. *Be it further enacted*, That said Corporation shall be entitled to hold real and personal estate to any amount necessary for the purposes aforesaid; and shall have power to make such by-laws, rules and regulations, as may

Powers, &c.

be thought proper, not repugnant to the Constitution and laws of this State.

Property insured to be holden as security for deposit money.

Proviso.

SECT. 7. *Be it further enacted*, That whenever said Corporation shall make insurance on any building, such building, the land under the same, and appurtenant thereto, shall be holden as security for such deposit money and assessments, as the person thus insured shall be liable to pay; and the policy of insurance, shall, from the time it issues, create a lien on such buildings and land therefor, which lien shall continue, notwithstanding any transfer of the property;—*Provided*,—It shall be expressed in the policy, that insurance is made, subject to the lien created by law, and a certificate containing a description of such estate, the date of the policy, and the sum insured thereon, shall be filed in the Clerk's office of the town, in which such estate or property insured may lie; for receiving and filing which certificate, the town clerk shall be entitled to receive twelve and a half cents.

Members deceased — their representatives liable in certain cases.

Proviso.

SECT. 8. *Be it further enacted*, That if any member of said Corporation obtaining insurance subject to the lien aforesaid, or in case of his decease, his legal representative, shall neglect for thirty days next after demand made, to pay the deposit money or any assessments he or they shall be liable to a suit of the corporation therefor, in an action of the case, in any Court of competent jurisdiction; and the said Corporation having obtained judgment and execution therefor, may cause such execution, at their election, to be satisfied by sale and conveyance of the interest of the insured, in the building insured and land under the same and appurtenant thereto; *Provided*, The officer having such execution, shall advertise the same in like manner as is provided by law for the sale of equities of redemption of real estate mortgaged; saving to the owners thereof the right of redeeming the same, at any time within one year, by paying the purchaser, or his assignee, the sum at which it was sold, with twelve per cent. interest thereon, deducting therefrom the rents and profits over and above the repairs and taxes.

SECT. 9. *Be it further enacted*, That any two of the persons herein named are authorized to call the first meeting by posting up advertisements, in two or more public places in Castine, ten days prior to said meeting.

Mode of calling first meeting.

## CHAPTER 553.

AN ACT to annex the town of Litchfield to the County of Kennebec.

Approved March 10, 1835.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled*, That the town of Litchfield in the County of Lincoln, be and the same hereby is set off from said County of Lincoln, and annexed to, and made part of, the County of Kennebec—*Provided*, That all taxes upon said town or the inhabitants thereof, lawfully assessed, shall be paid, and the remedies for collecting the same, shall remain as if this Act had not been passed.

Town of Litchfield set off from Lincoln and annexed to Kennebec.

Proviso.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That all persons holding commissions of Justices of the Peace in the town of Litchfield shall be authorized to act as Justices of the Peace in the County of Kennebec, in the same manner as if their commissions had been originally granted for that County.

Justices of the Peace in Litchfield allowed to act in Kennebec.

## CHAPTER 554.

AN ACT to incorporate the Orono Company.

Approved March 10, 1835.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled*, That William Jameson, Samuel Gardner, Sylvanus L. Mitchell, Zenas Keith, Jun., N. D. Hyde, Scott Keith, Charles Robinson, Increase Robinson, Enoch Robinson, Gad Robinson, Jacob Robinson, Dyer Robinson, Jun., Nathan Lazell, James T. Hobart, Ben-

Names of persons incorporated.

**Corporate name.** jamin King, Joseph Hunt, William B. Dorr, Z. B. Adams, R. Tinkham and John G. Jameson, their associates, successors and assigns be, and hereby are incorporated into a body politic by the name of the Orono Company, for the purpose of establishing and carrying on, at or near the Stillwater river in Orono, the manufacture of Iron and Lumber—and by the aforesaid name may prosecute and defend suits at law and equity; have a common Seal; make and establish by-laws, rules and regulations, not repugnant to the laws of the State, for the management of their concerns; choose all necessary officers; and have, exercise and enjoy all the rights, privileges and immunities, pertaining to companies legally incorporated—*Provided*, That all estate real and personal, held and owned by said Corporation, shall be held liable to assessment and taxation in the same manner as if the same were held and owned by an individual.

**Powers, &c.**

**Proviso.**

**SECT. 2.** *Be it further enacted*, That said Corporation may, upon their own land in said Orono, erect all necessary dams, mills, works, and machinery for said purposes,—*Provided*, said company shall not raise the water any higher by the erection of a dam or dams at said Orono or upper Stillwater, so called, than it was raised by the original dam at said place,—and may take, hold, and manage real estate not exceeding in value Two Hundred Thousand Dollars.

**Corporation may erect dams, &c.**

**Proviso.**

**Amount of real estate allowed to be holden by said Corporation.**

**SECT. 3.** *Be it further enacted*, That if any person or persons shall sustain any injury by reason of any of the powers granted in this Act, he or they shall be entitled to receive of said Corporation the just damages therefor, to be recovered by action in any Court competent to try the same.

**Persons sustaining injury entitled to damages.**

**SECT. 4.** *Be it further enacted*, That the capital stock of said Corporation shall consist of Two Hundred Thousand Dollars, divided into two hundred shares of One Thousand Dollars each.

**Amount of Capital Stock—how divided.**

**SECT. 5.** *Be it further enacted*, That when any person shall obtain judgment and execution against said Corpora-

**Execution against corporation:**

tion, and the same shall not be paid within seven days after notice in writing has been given to the clerk thereof of the amount of such execution, and said clerk shall not within said seven days shew to the creditor or officer holding said execution personal property of said corporation sufficient to satisfy the same, it shall be lawful for such creditor or officer to cause said execution to be levied upon any property of said Corporation,—or upon the private property of any stockholder thereof at his election—*Provided*, That no stockholder shall be held liable for any debt of said Corporation, to an amount exceeding the original cost of his stock—*Provided, also*, That the liability of such stockholder, shall continue the term of one year from and after the time he shall have duly transferred his stock, and no longer.

—how levied.

Proviso.

Proviso.

SECT. 6. *Be it further enacted*, That any stockholder, who shall have been obliged to pay any demand against said Corporation out of his individual property, shall have a bill in equity, originally to be tried in the Supreme Judicial Court, to recover from the other stockholders, who may be liable for the same, their proportional parts of such sums of money as he may have so paid, and such damages and costs as the Court may decree, and said bill in equity may be inserted in a writ of attachment or original summons.

Stockholders obliged to pay demands against the corporation, to have a bill in equity, &c.

SECT. 7. *Be it further enacted*, That it shall be the duty of the clerk of the said Corporation whenever thereto requested by any creditor in any execution against the same, or by the officer holding said execution, to furnish such creditor or officer, within seven days after such request, with the names of the stockholders thereof, together with the names of persons who have been stockholders within one year, and a schedule of the property belonging to said Corporation.

Clerk to furnish names of Stockholders in certain cases.

SECT. 8. *Be it further enacted*, That either of the persons named in this Act, be authorized to call the first meeting of this Corporation by giving notice thereof in writing to the members of said Corporation, or by causing public

Manner of calling first meeting.

notice thereof to be published in any newspaper printed in Bangor, at least twenty days prior to the time of holding said meeting.

## CHAPTER 555.

AN ACT providing for the use of Broad Rimmed Wheels within the County of Penobscot.

Approved March 10, 1835.

**SECT. 1.** *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That from and after the first day of April in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, no person residing in said County shall be allowed or permitted to haul any load, on any public road within the County of Penobscot, upon any ox-cart or ox-wagon, unless the felloes of the wheels thereof, are at least five inches wide, nor upon any horse-cart, or horse-wagon unless the felloes of the wheels thereof are at least four inches wide.

No loads to be hauled on carts or waggon unless the felloes thereof are five inches wide.

Penalty for violating the provisions of this act.

Proviso.

Penalties how recovered.

**SECT. 2.** *Be it further enacted,* That if any person shall violate the provisions of this Act, he shall forfeit and pay Three Dollars for each time he shall use a pair of wheels of less width than is required by the provisions of this Act, and for each pair of wheels, that he may so use. *Provided, nevertheless,—*That the penalty shall not be incurred by any person when the lading of his cart or wagon does not exceed fifteen hundred pounds in weight.

**SECT. 3.** *Be it further enacted,* That the forfeitures and penalties herein provided may be demanded, sued for and recovered, by any one of the Selectmen, Surveyors of Highways or Town Clerk of any town, in which any wheels may be used contrary to the provisions of this Act before any Justice of the Peace or other Court, competent to try the same,—or when the offence shall be within the City of Bangor, by the Mayor or any one of the City Council, before the Municipal Court of said City—and all

sums so recovered shall after deducting necessary expenses of prosecution, be paid over by the person so receiving and recovering the same to the Treasurer of the Town or City in which he lives, of which said Treasurer shall render a true account at its next annual meeting in March or April, and which shall be applied by said Town or City in the manner it may prescribe to the repair of the Highways. —how applied.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted*, That an Act entitled an Act providing for the use of Broad Rimmed Wheels in certain Towns in the County of Penobscot, approved March 12, 1834, be and hereby is repealed from the time of the passage of this Act. Former Act repealed.

## CHAPTER 556.

AN ACT to incorporate the Maine Episcopal Missionary Society.

Approved March 10, 1835.

SECT 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled*, That Robert Hallowell Gardiner, Frederic Allen, Edward Swan, Phineas Pratt, Arthur Berry, John Merrill, Patrick H. Greenleaf and Joseph T. Harris, together with their associates and successors be and they hereby are incorporated into a body politic by the name of the Maine Episcopal Missionary Society with power to sue and be sued, to have a common seal and to change the same; to make any by-laws for the management of their affairs not repugnant to the laws of this State; and to take hold and possess any real or personal estate to the value of Ten Thousand Dollars and to give and grant, bargain and sell or lease the same. Names of persons incorporated.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That the said Corporation may annually elect by ballot, by a majority of the members present, a President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, and such number of Trustees as they may think proper not less than seven and such other officers as Corporation name.  
Corporation may elect officers by ballot.

Vacancies—how filled.

they may determine to be necessary; and such officers when chosen may hold their offices until others are chosen in their stead, and in case of death, resignation or disability of either of said officers, the said Corporation shall have a right in like manner, at any meeting regularly called for the purpose, or at any meeting held by adjournment as may be most convenient to fill any vacancy which may so happen.

Deeds, grants, &c. to be under the seal of the Corporation.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted*, That all deeds, grants, covenants and agreements, that may be made for and in behalf of said Corporation, shall be executed under the seal of the same and signed by the President and Secretary.

Manner of using and improving the estate of the corporation.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted*, That all the Estate of said Corporation, both real and personal, shall be used and improved to the best advantage and the annual income thereof and so much of the principal as the Trustees shall judge proper, together with the annual subscriptions, donations and contributions which shall be made to said Corporation, shall be applied to the sole use and purpose of diffusing Christian Knowledge, in such manner as the said Corporation shall judge, will best promote and answer the design of their incorporation.

Powers may be enlarged, restrained or annulled.

SECT. 5. *Be it further enacted*, That the powers granted by this Act may be enlarged, restrained or annulled at the pleasure of the Legislature.

Manner of calling first meeting.

SECT. 6. *Be it further enacted*, That any three of said Corporators be and hereby are authorized to fix the time and place of holding the first meeting of said Corporation, by publishing a notification thereof in two newspapers one printed in the County of Kennebec, the other printed in Portland, at least three weeks successively before the time of meeting.



## CHAPTER 557.

AN ACT in addition to an Act to incorporate the City of Bangor.

Approved March 10, 1835.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That the Municipal Court for the City of Bangor shall have, in addition to the Jurisdiction given in the Act to which this is additional, original and exclusive Jurisdiction in all civil actions cognizable by a Justice of the Peace and returnable within the said City, except all actions in which the Judge of said Court may be interested; and said Judge shall receive a salary of Seven Hundred and Fifty Dollars per annum, and the Recorder of said Court shall receive a salary of Seven Hundred Dollars per annum; said salaries to be paid quarterly from the City Treasury.

Additional  
Jurisdiction.

Judge and Recorder—salaries of.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That in case of the death, sickness or necessary absence of the Recorder of said Court, it shall and may be lawful for the Judge of said Court to appoint some meet person to officiate as Recorder, to be under oath, until the standing Recorder shall be able to attend to his duty or until a new one shall be appointed by the Governor and Council.

Judge to appoint  
Recorder in case  
of absence, sickness  
or death.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted,* That no Justice of the Peace within the City of Bangor shall exercise any civil or criminal Jurisdiction, except under the authority of the United States, in any civil or criminal process, wherein said Judge is not a party or interested, or accept or receive any fee therefor, under penalty of Twenty Dollars for every offence, to the use of the County, to be recovered by indictment in any Court proper to try the same.

No Justice of the  
Peace to exercise  
any civil or criminal  
jurisdiction,  
except under authority  
of the U. States, wherein  
the Judge is not  
party.

## CHAPTER 558.

AN ACT creating the Village of Augusta, into a Corporation for certain purposes.

Approved March 10, 1835:

Limits.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That the territory embraced within the following limits, to wit, beginning in the south line of the town of Augusta at the west end of front lot numbered one, West side of the Kennebec River on Winslow's plan, thence running northerly by the west line of the intervening front lots to the north line of lot numbered Eleven on said plan—thence Easterly by the north line of said lot to the River, thence Easterly by the north line of lot numbered Twenty-seven in the first range on said plan to the East line thereof, thence southerly by the east line of the intervening front lots to the south line of the town of Augusta—thence westerly by the south line of said town of Augusta to the place begun at, together with the inhabitants thereon, be and the same is hereby created a body politic and corporate by the name of "The Augusta Village Corporation."

Corporate name.

Powers, &c.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That said Corporation is hereby invested with the power, at any legal meeting called for the purpose, to raise money for the purchase, repair, and preservation of one or more Fire Engines, Hose or other apparatus for the extinguishment of fire, and for organizing and maintaining within the limits of said territory an efficient Fire Department, and also a further sum not exceeding one hundred dollars annually to defray the expense of ringing one of the bells in said town of Augusta.

Manner of collecting assessments.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted,* That any money raised by said Corporation, for the purposes aforesaid shall be assessed and collected in the same manner, as is now provided for the assessment and collection of school district taxes.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted,* That upon a certificate being filed with the assessors of the town of Augusta, by

the Clerk of said Corporation, of the amount of money raised at any meeting thereof for the purposes aforesaid; it shall be the duty of said assessors, as soon as may be, to assess said amount upon the polls and estates of persons residing on the territory aforesaid, and upon the estates of non-resident proprietors thereof, and the assessment so made to certify and deliver to the Treasurer of said Corporation, whose duty it shall be to collect the same in like manner as State County and town taxes are, by law, collected by Treasurers of towns.

Assessors, duty of

Treasurer, duty of

SECT. 5. *Be it further enacted*, That the officers of said Corporation shall consist of a Supervisor, Clerk, and Treasurer to be elected in such manner, and to hold their offices respectively for such term of time, as may be provided for in the By-laws of said Corporation.

Officers.

SECT. 6. *Be it further enacted*, That said Corporation at any legal meeting thereof may adopt a code of By-laws for the government of the same and for the efficient management of the Fire Department aforesaid, provided the same are not repugnant to the laws of the State, and shall receive the approbation of the County Commissioners for the County of Kennebec.

Corporation may adopt By-Laws.

SECT. 7. *Be it further enacted*, That Benjamin Davis or George W. Morton Esquires or either of them be and they hereby are authorized to issue a warrant directed to some member of said Corporation requiring him to notify the members thereof to assemble at some suitable time and place in said Augusta, by publishing such notice in all the newspapers printed in Augusta seven days at least before said day of meeting.

Mode of calling first meeting.

SECT. 8. *Be it further enacted*, That this Act may be amended, altered or repealed at the pleasure of the Legislature.

## CHAPTER 559.

AN ACT to annex the two mile strip north of township numbered two Bingham Purchase to the town of Burlington.

Approved March 10, 1835.

Two mile strip  
annexed to Bur-  
lington.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That all that part of the two mile strip in the County of Hancock north of township number two, Bingham Purchase East of Penobscot river, which lays south of the town of Burlington in the County of Penobscot, beginning at the southwest corner of said Burlington running south across said strip to the town line of number two, thence six miles east on said line of number two, thence north across said strip to the southeast corner of said Burlington, with the inhabitants thereof, be and hereby is annexed to the town of Burlington in the County of Penobscot aforesaid.

## CHAPTER 560.

AN ACT to incorporate the Old Town Stage Company.

Approved March 11, 1835.

Names of persons  
incorporated.

Corporate name.

Powers, &c.

Mayhold real and  
personal estate to  
the value of \$10,-  
000.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Eben French, Richard H. Bartlett and Ira Wadleigh, their associates and successors, be and they hereby are constituted a body corporate, by the name of the Old Town Stage Company, for the purpose of establishing and running a line of Stages from Bangor to Old Town in the town of Orono, with power to prosecute and defend suits at Law; to have a common seal and to alter the same, to make any by-laws for the management of their affairs not repugnant to the laws of the State; to take and hold any real and personal estate necessary to the prosecution of the business of said Corporation to the value of ten thousand dollars, and to

give and grant, or bargain and sell the same; and with all the privileges usually granted to other Corporations for similar purposes.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That Eben French may call the first meeting of said Corporation, at such time and place as he may direct—giving seasonable notice to his associates of such time and place.

Mode of calling the first meeting.

## CHAPTER 561.

AN ACT to incorporate the Lincoln Benevolent Society.

Approved March 11, 1835.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled*, That Joel Miller, Job Washburn, Hezekiah Prince, John Miller and Peter Fuller, with their associates and successors, be and hereby are constituted a Corporation by the name of the Lincoln Benevolent Society, and by that name shall have power to prosecute and defend suits at law, to have and use a common seal, and ordain and establish by-laws and regulations for the management of their affairs, not repugnant to the laws of the State, and to have and exercise all the powers and privileges of similar Corporations.

Names of persons incorporated.

Corporate name.

Powers, &c.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That said Society is hereby authorized to raise, by subscription, donation or otherwise a fund not exceeding ten thousand dollars, for the sole purpose of relieving aged and infirm Ministers of the Gospel and the widows and children of deceased Ministers. And for that purpose said Society are empowered to have and to hold and at their discretion manage said fund, and to have, own and convey real estate, the whole value of which, together with the other funds of said Society, shall not exceed the sum aforesaid at any one time.

May raise a fund not exceeding \$10,000.

—how to be applied.

Powers, &c.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted*, That any two of the persons above named may call the first meeting of said

Mode of calling first meeting.

## ST. CROIX RIVER COMPANY.

Corporation by publishing the time and place thereof twenty days previously in the newspaper called the "Zions Advocate" printed in Portland, and the powers granted by this Act may be enlarged, restricted or annulled at the pleasure of the Legislature.

## CHAPTER 562.

AN ACT to incorporate the St. Croix River Company.

Approved March 11, 1835.

Names of persons incorporated.	SECT. 1. <i>Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,</i> That Neal D. Shaw, Luther Brackett, William Pike, Stephen Emerson, Anson G. Chandler, Salmon Gates, John Stickney, Joseph Whitney and Isaac Pool their associates, successors and assigns be, and they hereby are constituted a body politic and
Corporate name.	corporate, by the name of the St. Croix River Company, for the purpose of making such improvements upon the parts of the St. Croix River and the shores of the Lakes thereon, between the Salmon Falls inclusive, and the head of the western branch thereof, by removing obstructions therein and erecting thereon dams and gates, piers and booms, as will facilitate and render more convenient the drifting and driving down said parts of said river and lakes,
Powers, &c.	logs, ton timber, masts, spars and other lumber and timber, not in boats; and by that name may contract, sue, be sued and defend suits at law, have a common seal and change the same at pleasure, make by-laws not repugnant to the laws of this State, for the convenient management of their corporate concerns; take and hold any estate, real,
May hold estate to the amount of \$12,000.	personal or mixed to the amount of Twelve Thousand Dollars, and the same to sell, convey and otherwise dispose of, and have and enjoy all the rights and powers necessary to carry into full effect the objects of the Corporation.

**SECT. 2.** *Be it further enacted,* That said Corporation Powers, &c. shall have power to remove any obstructions in, and to erect such dams and gates, piers and booms upon the parts aforesaid, as said Corporation shall determine necessary to the attainment of the purposes of this incorporation; but no person or persons, upon whose premises any such improvements may be made, shall be debarred from using the same in any way not inconsistent with the full attainment of the purposes aforesaid; unless such person or persons shall have demanded and received of said Corporation an amount equivalent for the value of the premises so occupied.

**SECT. 3.** *Be it further enacted,* That if any person or persons shall suffer damage by the exercise of the power herein granted to said Corporation; or if said Corporation shall take or use any dam, or the materials of any dam now existing or which has existed on said parts, and which was originally erected solely for said purposes, which said Corporation is hereby authorized to take and use, and the amount, or value thereof cannot be agreed upon by the parties, the same shall be mutually submitted to three disinterested freeholders, whose determination shall be binding and final in the premises, and in case of their disagreement the same shall be submitted to the Court of County Commissioners in the County of Washington, whose decision in the premises shall be final, and said freeholders and Commissioners shall also determine the time and manner of the payment of the amount or value they may agree upon.

Claims of persons injured — the amount of, how determined.

**SECT. 4.** *Be it further enacted,* That if any person shall wilfully or maliciously injure any such dam, gate, pier, boom or other improvement, made by said Corporation, so as to render it less fitted for the purposes of its construction, or so as to cause expense to said Company, or shall aid in, or procure or advise the same to be done, such person or persons shall forfeit and pay said Corporation treble damages, to be sued for and recovered in an action of debt, in any Court competent to try the same, to the use of said Corporation.

Penalty for wilfully injuring dam, &c.

—how recovered.

SECT. 5. *Be it further enacted*, That a toll shall be hereby is granted for the benefit of said Corporation, according to the rates following, to wit:—for each and every thousand feet, board measure, which the logs, mast timber, spars or other timber or lumber would ~~not~~ which may be drifted, floated or drove through the mouth or outlet of the Grand Lake Stream within the first year said Corporation may take toll, four cents—for each and every thousand feet as aforesaid so drifted, floated or drove the second year, three cents—for every thousand feet as aforesaid, so drifted or drove after the second year, two cents,—for each and every thousand feet as aforesaid which may be drifted, floated or drove through the outlet of Big Lake, the first year said company may take tolls which have not passed through the outlet or mouth of the Grand Lake Stream, two cents and an half—and for each and every thousand feet as aforesaid, so drifted, floated or drove as is last aforesaid, after the said first year, one cent and an half, for each and every thousand feet as aforesaid which may pass Sprague's falls and have not passed the outlet of Big Lake, nor of the Grand Lake Stream, one cent, but said Corporation may at all times vary said tolls for said places, provided they shall keep them within the limits above prescribed—and said Corporation shall have a lien upon the logs, masts, spars, mast timber, other lumber and timber for the payment of said tolls, which may so become due thereon; and said Corporation may, by any person it may designate as its agent therefor, take and sell at public vendue any and so much of the same as may be necessary to raise the sum due for said toll, the expenses of said taking and sale and the keeping thereof, but no such sale shall be made until said Corporation shall have made a demand therefor of the owners thereof or persons interested therein or some of them, if known to said Agent, and a refusal or neglect to pay the same; nor after said refusal, nor if said owner or persons interested therein be not so known, until notice shall have been posted by said Agent, six days at least before the day of sale, in

Amount of toll granted to said corporation.

Corporation to have a lien upon logs, &c. for the payment of tolls.

—may take and sell at vendue logs, &c. to raise a sum sufficient to pay tolls and expenses of the keeping thereof.

Demand of payment to be made previous to sale.

Manner of giving notice of sale.



some conspicuous and public place, in the towns of Calais, Spring and in the parish of St. Stephens, stating the marks as near as may be, of the property on which the toll is due, the amount due, and the time and place of sale—or said Corporation may sue for and recover said toll of said owners or persons interested therein or any of them in an action of assumpsit on an account annexed for tolls, before any tribunal of competent jurisdiction. But said Corporation shall not have any right to demand or receive any of said tolls, till said improvements are made at Sprague's Falls, Grand Falls, the outlet of Big Lake and on the Grand Lake Stream, and if they be not completed within two years from the first day of May next then this Act shall be void—*Provided however* that when said improvements are made and completed at the outlet of Grand Lake, the Corporation shall be entitled to demand receive and collect as aforesaid one half of the rates of toll aforesaid until the other improvements contemplated by this Act are made and completed.

**SECT. 6.** *Be it further enacted,* That if any person or persons shall, after the first day of September next, in any way put into, or drift, float or drive upon said River or any of the Lakes within the limits first in the first section hereof named, or cause it to be done, any log, mast, spar, or other stick of timber or lumber over thirty feet long which shall therein become mixed with the logs, masts, spars or other lumber or timber of any other person to his injury or delay in driving them, the person by whom it may be done, or who shall assist in doing it, or causing it to be done, shall forfeit and pay one dollar for each and every such log, mast, spar or other stick of timber or lumber, which may be sued for and recovered of him in an action of debt, in the name of said Corporation, to its use and benefit, to be applied, as said tolls shall be, in making said improvements, keeping them in repair and tending upon and managing the same—*Provided however*, that this forfeiture shall not be incurred by any person who, in driving his own lumber or that which he may have contracted to drive,

Corporation may sue, &c. for tolls.

No tolls to be demanded until certain improvements are made.

Time allowed to complete improvements.

When improvements are made at outlet of Grand Lake, corporation to take half toll.

Penalty for putting in or driving any log, &c. over 30 feet in length.

—how recovered.

Proviso.

shall therewith necessarily drift, float or drive any log, mast, spar or other stick of timber or lumber of a other person which has become and continues so min with his, against his will and consent.

Corporation not to keep back the water by their dams to the injury of the owners of mills.

SECT. 7. *Be it further enacted*, That said Corporation shall not, by any of its dams or other improvements, to back or withhold the water from flowing down said River or Lakes so as to prevent any of the mills thereon from being supplied with a sufficiency of water to the injury of the owners or occupants thereof.

Manner of calling first meeting.

SECT. 8. *Be it further enacted*, That the first meeting of this Corporation may be called by any one of the persons herein named, giving to each of the others written notice thereof in hand, or leaving it at his last and usual place of abode six days before the day of meeting, stating the time and place of said meeting.

Corporation to take and dispose of prize logs.

SECT. 9. *Be it further enacted*, That said Corporation be and hereby are authorized to take, within the limits herein named, all such prize logs as may be found there by its agents, to dispose of the same as it may deem expedient, and shall appropriate the proceeds thereof, after deducting the expenses of said taking and sale and the keeping of said logs, to the purposes for which this Corporation was created.

Corporation not to divide proceeds of tolls or monies arising from prize logs, but to expend the same in accomplishing the objects thereof.

— shall cease to demand toll when determined by Legislature.

SECT. 10. *Be it further enacted*, That the Corporation shall never be allowed to divide any of the proceeds of the tolls or monies arising from the sale of prize logs as aforesaid, but shall faithfully expend the same in accomplishing the objects of this Corporation, and shall cease to demand tolls whenever the Legislature shall determine that the necessary improvements upon said Lakes and River are fully accomplished and provision made for keeping the same in repair.

## CHAPTER 563.

AN ACT incorporating the Somerset Ferry Company.

Approved March 11, 1835.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That William Hilton, John S. Tenney, Amos Townsend, Amasa Manley, Samuel Searle, John H. Sawyer, Augustus J. Rowe and John H. Webster, and their associates, successors and assigns, be and hereby are created a Corporation by the name of the Somerset Ferry Company, with power by that name to sue and be sued, have a common seal, and make by-laws for the management of their concerns, not repugnant to the laws of this State, and to exercise the powers incident to similar corporations, and to maintain a Horse Ferry across the Kennebec River in Norridgwock at the place where the County Commissioners have licensed Henry Bickford, Jr. and Stephen Bowden to keep a Ferry; said Corporation being bound at all times, (when necessary, and the River not passable on the ice,) to have and keep suitable boats, apparatus and attendants for the safe, convenient and speedy transportation of passengers, with their teams, horses and carriages—*Provided however* that this Act shall cease to be in force, and be void, whenever the "Norridgwock Bridge Proprietors" shall erect a Bridge and finish the same across the Kennebec River at or near the place described in this Act, in virtue of their Act of incorporation passed February twenty-fifth eighteen hundred and thirty-four.

Names of persons incorporated.

Corporate name.

Powers, &amp;c.

Corporation bound to keep suitable boats, apparatus and attendants.

Proviso.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That there is hereby granted to said Corporation a toll for said transportation, at the following rates—Each foot passenger two cents, person and horse six and a quarter cents, each horse or kine two cents, each waggon, cart, gig, sled or sleigh, drawn by one horse, eight cents, each chaise or other pleasure carriage drawn by one horse twelve and an half cents, each unloaded waggon or cart or sled drawn by two beasts twelve and an half cents, each loaded waggon, cart or sled

Rates of toll.

Certain persons  
allowed to pass  
free of toll.

drawn by two beasts twenty cents; each unloaded waggon, cart or sled drawn by four beasts, twenty cents; each loaded waggon, cart or sled drawn by four beasts, twenty-five cents, each coach, hack or other pleasure carriage, drawn by two or more beasts twenty-five cents. All licensed ferrymen, all soldiers on foot, going to or coming from military trainings, elections or musters, all persons on foot going to or from religious meetings on the Sabbath, all legal voters going to or from elections or town meetings, and all who attend at funerals in the town of Norridgewock shall pass said ferry free of toll.

Corporation al-  
lowed to build  
and maintain sui-  
table piers, &c.

Province-

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted*, That said Corporation be and hereby is authorized and empowered to build, construct and maintain any piers, wharves, buildings or other conveniences necessary for maintaining said Ferry on the shores and landing places of the Kennebec River at such places as are now laid out and appropriated for the use of the Ferry over said river—*Provided*, that said Corporation shall pay the owner or owners of the land or privilege so occupied and improved such damage as shall be agreed upon, or the County Commissioners shall award.

Corporation to  
pay to Bickford  
and Bowden, or  
either of them, a  
fair compensation  
for their boats,  
&c.

Value of Boats,  
&c.—how to be  
determined in  
case of disagree-  
ment.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted*, That said Corporation shall pay to Henry Bickford Jr. and Stephen Bowden, or either of them, a just and fair compensation for any interest or right they or either of them now have, in any boats or other personal property owned by them, connected with or appertaining to the Ferry heretofore established, as aforesaid; and in case there should be any disagreement as to the value of such property or materials, the Court of County Commissioners for said County of Somerset, shall appraise the same after giving reasonable notice to the parties respectively interested, and such sum as said Commissioners shall decide said property to be worth shall be paid by this Corporation and be in full satisfaction for the same.

Wm. Hilton may  
own the whole or  
any part of the  
stock.

SECT. 5. *Be it further enacted*, That William Hilton, one of the present Ferrymen and named in the first section of this Act, may own the whole or any part of the stock

of said Corporation—*Provided*, he shall furnish and deliver to said Corporation a good and sufficient bond within ten days after the first meeting of said Corporation, that he will comply with the provisions of this Act.

*Proviso.*

SECT. 6. *Be it further enacted*, That if said Ferry be not furnished with all necessary and convenient boats and apparatus and in operation in four months from the passing of this Act, the powers hereby granted shall be void. And said powers may at any time be enlarged, modified or annulled at the pleasure of the Legislature.

*Time allowed to finish boats and apparatus.*

SECT. 7. *Be it further enacted*, That any two of the persons named in the first section of this Act, may call the first meeting of said Corporation, by giving such reasonable notice as they may deem proper, at which meeting all officers may be chosen and corporation business transacted.

*Manner of calling first meeting.*

#### CHAPTER 564.

AN ACT to incorporate the Moosehead Lake Steam Navigation Company.

Approved March 12, 1835.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled*, That Pearson Cogswell, Leonard Holmes, Asa B. Hogins, Samuel C. Fitzgerald, Isaac Child, Moses W. Burnham, Jonas Brown and John Merrill, their associates successors and assigns, be, and they hereby are incorporated and made a body politic by the name of the Moosehead Lake Steam Navigation Company, for the purpose of navigating the waters of Moosehead Lake with steam boats; and for this purpose shall have all the powers and privileges, and be subject to all the duties, and requirements, contained in an Act, passed the eighth day of March, A. D. 1821, defining the general powers and duties of Manufacturing Corporations. And for the purposes aforesaid may own and manage real estate not exceeding Fifty Thousand Dollars and personal estate not exceeding One Hundred Thousand Dollars.

*Names of persons incorporated.*

*Corporate name.*

*Powers and privileges.*

*Amount of real and personal estate.*

**SECT. 2.** *Be it further enacted,* That said Corporation, and the Stockholders thereof, in their private capacity, each in proportion to the amount of his stock, shall be holden for all debts due from said Corporation, and for all damages occasioned by the exercise of the powers herein granted—*Provided,* That no stockholder shall be thus holden in his private capacity for a longer term than one year from the time he shall have sold and transferred his stock.

Stockholders in their private capacity, holden for all debts, &c.

*Provided.*

Corporation vested with the sole right of navigating by steam the Moosehead Lake for 12 years.

Penalty for using a boat propelled by steam on said Lake without authority from the corporation.

—how recovered

*Provided.*

Legislature to regulate toll.

**SECT. 3.** *Be it further enacted*—That said Corporation shall be, and they hereby are vested with the sole and exclusive right and privilege of employing and navigating all, and every species or kind of boats or water craft, which may be propelled by the force of steam, on Moose Head Lake during the term of twelve years from the passage of this Act: and if any person or persons, without authority from said Corporation, shall use, employ or navigate on said Lake any boat or water craft, propelled by steam as aforesaid, during the term aforesaid, he or they for each and every offence, shall forfeit and pay to said Corporation, a sum not exceeding One Thousand Dollars, ~~or less~~ than Fifty Dollars, to be recovered by an action of debt in any Court of competent jurisdiction—*Provided* that if said Corporation shall fail or neglect to build and put in operation on said Lake, within one year from the first day of May next, a good and safe steam boat or steam boats for the purpose of towing rafts of logs and other lumber, boats and all other water craft, and of conveying passengers, horses, cattle, carriages and other vehicles across said Lake, and to keep the same in good repair, (unusual casualties excepted) during the aforesaid term of twelve years, then the privileges granted by this Act to said Corporation shall be null and void.

**SECT. 4.** *Be it further enacted,* That the right is hereby reserved to the Legislature to regulate the toll for towing rafts of logs or other lumber and to regulate the toll for transporting passengers horses cattle carriages and other vehicles and to establish such general rules and regulations relative to said Corporation as the public convenience may require.

**SECT. 5.** *Be it further enacted,* That Pearson Cogswell Manner of calling first meeting. be and he hereby is authorized to call the first meeting of this Corporation, at such time and place as he may appoint by publishing the time and place thereof in some public newspaper in this State ten days prior to the time of said meeting; at which meeting assessments may be made, and by-laws, rules, and regulations established for the government of said Corporation.

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**CHAPTER 565.**

**AN ACT** to repeal an Act to annex to the town of New Portland, sundry lots of Land lying in New Vineyard.

Approved March 12, 1835.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That an Act passed March fourth one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four, entitled "An Act to annex to the Town of New Portland sundry lots of land lying in New Vineyard," be and the same is hereby repealed. Former Act repealed.

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**CHAPTER 566.**

**AN ACT** to incorporate the Wells Mutual Marine Insurance Company.

Approved March 12, 1835.

**SECT. 1.** *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Seth Hatch, Warwick Hobbs, Samuel Curtis, Jr., John Wheelwright, Daniel Wheelwright, Jr., and their associates and successors shall be, and they are hereby created a body corporate by the name of the Wells Mutual Marine Insurance Company, Names of persons incorporated. with power, by that name to prosecute and defend suits at law—to have and use a common seal—to make by-laws, and regulations, for the management of their affairs, not repugnant to the laws of the State; to purchase and hold Corporate name. Powers, &c.

such real and personal estate as may be necessary to effect the objects of their association, and to enjoy all rights and powers incident to such Corporations.

Persons insuring in said Company to be taken as members during the terms specified in their respective policies, and no longer.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That all and every person and persons, who shall at any time become interested in said company by insuring therein, and also their respective heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns continuing to be insured therein, as hereinafter provided shall be deemed and taken, to be members thereof for and during the terms specified in their respective policies and no longer, and shall at all times be concluded and bound by the provisions of this Act.

Times of meeting.

Directors—when to be chosen.

Vacancies—how filled.

Special meetings—how called.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted*, That there shall be a meeting of said Company at Wells in the County of York on the first Monday of March annually and on such other day as the said Company may hereafter determine; at which meeting shall be chosen by a major vote of the members present, a Board of Directors consisting of not more than seven nor less than five members who shall continue in office until others shall have been chosen, and accepted the trust in their stead.—All vacancies happening in said Board may be filled by the remaining members until the next annual meeting; and a majority of the whole number shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.—Special meetings of the Company may be called, by order of the Directors or in such manner as the By-laws thereof may have prescribed.

Board of Directors to superintend and manage funds, &c.

Directors to appoint Secretary and other officers.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted*, That the Board of Directors shall superintend the concerns of said Company and shall have the management of the funds and property thereof and of all matters and things thereunto relating not otherwise provided for by said Company.—They shall have power from time to time to appoint a Secretary, Treasurer and such other officers, agents and assistants as to them may seem necessary; and prescribe their duties, fix their compensation, take such security from them as they may deem necessary for the faithful performance of their respective duties, and may remove them at pleasure.



They shall determine the rates of insurance, the sum to be insured on any vessel, not exceeding three fourths of its value, and the amount of the note to be deposited for the insurance thereof. They shall order and direct the making and issuing of all policies of insurance; the providing of books, stationery and other things, needful for the office of said Company and for carrying on the affairs thereof; and may draw upon the Treasurer for the payment of all losses which may have happened, and for expenses incurred in transacting the concerns of said Company.—They shall elect one of their own number to act as President, and may hold their meetings monthly and oftener if necessary; and shall keep a record of their proceedings.

—to determine rates of insurance &c.

—to elect one of their number to act as President.

SECT. 5. *Be it further enacted*, That every person who shall become a member of said Company by effecting insurance therein, shall before he receives his policy deposit his promissory note for such sum of money as shall be determined by the Directors, a part not exceeding eight per cent. of which said note shall be immediately paid for the purpose of discharging the incidental expenses of the Institution and endorsed thereon; and the remainder of said deposit note shall be payable in part or the whole at any time when the Directors shall deem the same requisite for the payment of losses or other expenses; and at the expiration of the term of insurance, the said note or such part of the same, as shall remain unpaid after deducting all losses and expenses occurring during said term, shall be relinquished and given up to the signer thereof.

Conditions of membership, &c.

SECT. 6. *Be it further enacted*, That every member of said Company shall be and hereby is bound and obliged to pay his or her proportion of all losses and expenses happening or accruing in and to said Company to the amount of his or her deposit note and no more. And the Company shall have a lien against the assured, on all vessels insured by them during the continuance of his or her policy to the amount of his or her deposit note, and no more.

Members bound to pay their proportion of losses and expenses.

Members sustaining losses to give notice in writing to Directors or Secretary.

Amount of losses, how determined.

Party suffering not satisfied, may bring an action in county where the loss happened.

Costs not to be allowed in certain cases.

Directors, how to proceed after receiving notice of loss.

—how to proceed in case members refuse to pay the sum assessed for his or her proportion of loss, &c.

SECT. 7. *Be it further enacted*, That when any member shall sustain any loss, by storm, tempest or other accident of the property so insured, the said member shall within ninety days next after such loss, or within twenty days after his being informed of such loss, give notice thereof in writing to the Directors or some one of them, or to the Secretary of said Company; and the Directors upon view of the same, or in such other way as they may deem proper, shall ascertain and determine the amount of said loss; and if the party suffering is not satisfied with the determination of the Directors, the said party within three months next after such determination is made known, may bring an action at law against said Corporation, in the County where the loss or damage happened; and in case the plaintiff in such action shall not on trial recover as damages more than the amount determined as aforesaid, no costs shall be allowed the plaintiff, but the Corporation shall recover its costs, and execution shall issue for the balance, in favor of the party entitled to recover it.

SECT. 8. *Be it further enacted*, That the Directors shall after receiving notice of any loss or damage by sea sustained by any member, and ascertaining the same, settle and determine the sums to be paid, by the several members thereof, as their respective proportion of such loss; and publish the same in such manner as they shall see fit, or as the by-laws shall have prescribed. And the sum to be paid by each member, shall always be in proportion to the original amount of his deposite, note or notes, and shall be paid to the Treasurer within thirty days next after the publication of said notice. And if any member shall for the space of thirty days, after such notice, neglect or refuse, to pay the sum assessed upon him, her, or them, as his, her or their proportion of any loss or damage, as aforesaid; in such case, the Directors may sue for, and recover, the whole amount of his, her or their deposite note or notes, with costs of suit; and the money thus collected shall remain in the Treasury of said Company, subject to the payment of such losses and expenses as have or may

thereafter accrue; and the balance, if any remain, shall be returned to the party from whom it was collected, on demand after thirty days from the expiration of the term for which insurance was made.

SECT. 9. *Be it further enacted*, That the said Company may make insurance for any term, not exceeding four years, on any vessels or boats of any and every description; also on any merchandize, goods and lumber together with all other articles carried on the water, against loss or damage by winds, waves or storm originating in any cause other than by design in the assured, and that when the property insured shall be alienated by sale or otherwise, the policy shall thereupon be void, and be surrendered to the Directors of said Company, to be cancelled; and upon such surrender, the assured shall be entitled to receive his, her or their deposit note or notes, upon the payment of his, her or their proportion of all losses and expenses that have accrued prior to such surrender.

Company may insure certain property for a term not exceeding three years.

Policy void in certain cases and to be surrendered, &c.

SECT. 10. *Be it further enacted*, That any two of the persons herein named, are authorized to call the first meeting by posting up advertisements in two or more public places in Wells, ten days prior to said meeting. And no policy shall be issued by said Company until application shall be made for insurance and risks actually agreed on for ten thousand dollars at least.

Manner of calling first meeting.

## CHAPTER 567.

AN ACT authorizing the Selectmen, Clerk, and Treasurer of the town of Lovell, to transfer certain funds in their trust, to the Trustees of the School Fund in said town.

Approved March 13, 1835.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled*, That the Selectmen, Clerk, and Treasurer of the town of Lovell, are hereby authorized to transfer the fund committed to their trust, by a vote of said town, passed the ninth day of September in the year of our Lord

Selectmen, Clerk and Treasurer authorized to transfer certain funds.

Former Act  
referred to.

one thousand eight hundred and thirty three, under authority of a statute passed March ninth one thousand eight hundred and thirty two, to the Trustees of the School Fund in said town, incorporated Feb. sixth eighteen hundred and twenty two; to be by them managed agreeably to the powers, and for the purposes therein contained.

### CHAPTER 568.

AN ACT to change the names of certain persons.

Approved March 13, 1835.

Names of persons  
changed.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Edward Teal of South Berwick in the County of York, shall be allowed to take the name of Edward T. Goodwin; that Phebe Wood of Bluehill in the County of Hancock, shall be allowed to take the name of Ellen Maria Wood; that Benjamin Clough of Bluehill in the County of Hancock, shall be allowed to take the name of George Washington Grindle; that Ivory Butland of Wells in the County of York, shall be allowed to take the name of Ivory Goodwin; that John Webster Jr. of Fryeburg in the County of Oxford shall be allowed to take the name of John Sayward Webster; that Samuel Walker 3d of Fryeburg in the County of Oxford, shall be allowed to take the name of Samuel Fowle Walker; that David Metcalf of Prospect in the County of Waldo shall be allowed to take the name of David Swett, Jr.; that Charles Kaler 5th, of Waldoborough in the County of Lincoln shall be allowed to take the name of Charles Weaver Kaler; that Daniel Sylvester Bardon of Bluehill in the County of Hancock shall be allowed to take the name of Daniel Bardon Allen; that John L. Willson of Union in the County of Lincoln shall be allowed to take [the] name of John Willson Lemon; that Benjamin Flint Chapman of Thomaston in the County of Lincoln shall be allowed to take the name of Benjamin Flint; that Jeremiah Plummer Disko of Addison,

in the County of Washington shall be allowed to take the name of John Jackson Disko; that William Richardson Jr. of Bath in the County of Lincoln shall be allowed to take the name of William Parker Richardson; that Joseph Mathews 2d, of Prospect in the County of Waldo shall be allowed to take the name of Joseph Parker Mathews; that John J. Brown of Trenton in the County of Hancock shall be allowed to take the name of Edward J. Black; that John Dunning of Brunswick in the County of Cumberland shall be allowed to take the name of Thomas Jefferson John Dunning; that Patrick Meagher of Gardiner in the County of Kennebec shall be allowed to take the name of Patrick Maher; that Samuel S. Paine of Anson in the County of Somerset shall be allowed to take the name of William Moore; that Jedediah Darling Jr. of Bluehill in the County of Hancock shall be allowed to take the name of Byron Whitefield Darling; that Jacob Toothaker of Durham in the County of Cumberland shall be allowed to take the name of Jacob Freeman; that Taylor Bean of Jay in the County of Oxford shall be allowed to take the name of Oliver Taylor Bean; that Francis Y. Ranslow, and William Ranslow of Temple in the County of Kennebec shall be allowed to take the names of Francis Y. Locke, and William Locke; that Benjamin Curtis Jr. of Frankfort in the County of Waldo shall be allowed to take the name of Gilbert L. Curtis; that Samuel Weston 2d of Milburn in the County of Somerset shall be allowed to take the name of Samuel Francis Weston; that David Dennison 3d of Freeport in the County of Cumberland shall be allowed to take the name of David Hareden Dennison; that James Hawkes Jr of Portland in the County of Cumberland shall be allowed to take the name of James Robinson; that James Leach 3d of Raymond in the County of Cumberland shall be allowed to take the name of James M. Leach; that John Rockwood Jr of Belgrade in the County of Kennebec shall be allowed to take the name of John Anson Rockwood; that Mercy Burgess Griffith of Canton in the County of Oxford shall be allowed to take the name of Mercy

## NAMES OF CERTAIN PERSONS CHANGED.

Burgess Benson; that Davis Hayden of Raymond in the County of Cumberland shall be allowed to take the name of Mahlon D. Hayden; that Jonathan Fuller 2d of Freedom in the County of Waldo shall be allowed to take the name of Jonathan Hammond Fuller; that Jonathan F. Weeks of Gardiner in the County of Kennebec shall be allowed to take the name of James F. Weeks; that William Haycock Jr of Charleston in the County of Penobscot shall be allowed to take the name of William Hall; that Nehemiah Penny Jr of Orono in the County of Penobscot shall be allowed to take the name of Nehemiah Tenney; that Henry Noyes of Deer Isle in the County of Hancock shall be allowed to take the name of Henry Augustus Noyes; that Reuben Salsbury of Eden in the County of Hancock shall be allowed to take the name of Reuben S. Salsbury; that Moses Mariner Taylor of Cumberland in the County of Cumberland shall be allowed to take the name of George Edward Taylor; that William Ingalls of Bridgton in the County of Cumberland shall be allowed to take the name of Cyprus Babylon; that Epaphras Kibby Dodge of Portland in the County of Cumberland shall be allowed to take the name of Thomas Kibby Dodge; that John Davis of Naples in the County [of] Cumberland shall be allowed to take the name of John Skillings Davis; that Ezekiel H. Page of Garland in the County of Penobscot shall be allowed to take the name of Ezekiel Page; that Henry Joy of the City of Portland in the County of Cumberland shall be allowed to take the name of Henry Williams; that Living Lane of Buxton in the County of York shall be allowed to take the name of Benjamin Living Donnell Lane; that John R. Stinson 2nd of Woolwich in the County of Lincoln shall be allowed to take the name of John Robinson Carr Stinson; that William Henry McKenney of Portland in the County of Cumberland shall be allowed to take the name of Thomas McLellan; that Samuel Davis of Augusta in the County of Kennebec shall be allowed to take the name of Henry Clay Wirt; that Bowdoin Murch of Winthrop in the Coun-

ty of Kennebec shall be allowed to take the name of James Bowdoin Murch; that Benjamin Branscomb of Freedom in the County of Waldo shall be allowed to take the name of Benjamin Chase; that John Crosby Friend Maxy of Carmel, a minor, may be allowed to take the name of John Crosby Libby. And said persons shall in future be respectively, known and called by the names which they are respectively allowed to take as aforesaid; and the same shall be considered as their only proper names

# CHAPTER 569.

AN ACT to incorporate the Proprietors of Carritunk Bridge.

Approved March 13, 1835.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Elijah Grover, Joseph Spaulding Jr. John Pierce, Caleb Williams, their associates and successors, be, and they hereby are constituted a body politic and corporate by the name of the Proprietors of the Carritunk Bridge, and by that name may prosecute and defend suits at law; may have and use a common seal; may make any by-laws for the management of their affairs, not repugnant to the laws of the State; and may choose a Clerk, Treasurer, and any other officers proper for the management of their Corporate business, by a majority of votes present allowing one vote to each share: *Provided*, that no individual shall be entitled to more than ten votes on all his shares.

Names of persons incorporated.

Corporate name.

Powers, privileges, &c.

May choose officers.

Proviso.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That said Bridge shall be built across the Kennebec River (between Emden and Solon) at some suitable place over Carritunk Falls so called, or within two miles therefrom, and shall be made of good materials, and of suitable height from the water, of the width of twenty five feet at least, well covered with plank, or timber, and with sufficient rails on each side for the safety of travellers.

Location and construction of Bridge.

**Rates of toll.**

**SECT. 3.** *Be it further enacted,* That, a toll be, and hereby is granted for the benefit of said Corporation, according to the following rates, to wit; for each foot passenger, two cents; one person and horse six cents; single horse and cart, horse and sleigh, wagon, or any such vehicle with one horse, twelve and a half cents; each horse and chaise or sulkey, seventeen cents; each gig drawn by one horse, twelve and a half cents; and for each additional horse, six cents; each team, including cart, wagon, sled or sleigh, drawn by two oxen, twenty two cents; and for each additional beast, two cents; four wheel carriages, with two horses, twenty five cents; and for every additional horse, six cents; neat cattle and beasts of burden, exclusive of those rode upon, or in carriages or teams, two cents each; sheep and swine at the rate of six and a quarter cents per dozen; and to each team one person only, shall be allowed as a driver to pass free of toll: *Provided however,* That no toll shall be exacted by said proprietors of any persons enrolled in the Militia, for passing said Bridge, going to or returning from Military duty, either for themselves, their baggage or Military apparatus; or of any person going to or returning from public worship on the Lord's day. And at all times when the toll gatherer shall not attend his duty at said Bridge, the gate or gates shall be left open. And the toll shall commence on the day of the first opening of said Bridge for passengers, and may be collected in such manner as may be prescribed by said Corporation. And at the place where said tolls are collected, the rates of toll shall be fairly and legibly painted on a board or sign, and kept constantly exposed to the view of passengers.

**Proviso.**

**Toll gates to be left open when, &c.**

**Toll to commence when bridge is opened.**

**Rates of toll to be painted on board or sign.**

**Act to be void unless said bridge is completed within two years.**

**SECT. 4.** *Be it further enacted,* That, if said Corporation shall neglect or refuse for the space of two years from the passing of this Act, to build and complete said Bridge, then this Act shall be void.

**First meeting—how called.**

**SECT. 5.** *Be it further enacted,* That, the first meeting of this Corporation may be called at such time and place as may be determined by a majority of the persons named



in the first section of this Act, by publishing notice thereof in the Skowhegan Sentinel, seven days at least, previous to the time of such meeting or in such other mode as a majority of the Corporators may deem proper.

# CHAPTER 570.

AN ACT to change the name of the First Methodist Society in Falmouth and North Yarmouth.

Approved March 13, 1835.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled, That the First Methodist Society in Falmouth and North Yarmouth, shall be allowed to take, and after the passage of this Act, shall be known by the name of, the First Methodist Society in Falmouth and Cumberland.*

Corporate name changed.

# CHAPTER 571.

AN ACT to establish the Old-town and Milford Ferry Company.

Approved March 17, 1835.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled, That John T. Davis, Joseph Smith, Jesse Wadleigh, Willis Patten, Alvin B. Gilman, Samuel Godfrey and William A. Rogers, and their associates and successors be and hereby are created a corporation by the name of the Old-town and Milford Ferry Company with power by that name to sue and be sued, have a common seal, and establish by-laws for the management of their concerns, not repugnant to the laws of the State, and to exercise the powers of other similar Corporations, and to maintain a Horse Ferry from Old-town Village, on Marsh Island in the town of Orono across the Penobscot River above the Old-town Falls, to Milford on*

Names of persons incorporated.

Corporate name.

Powers, privileges, &c.

Purposes of incorporation.

the opposite shore ; said Corporation being bound at all times to have and keep suitable boats, apparatus and attendants for the safe and speedy transportation of passengers, with their horses, teams and carriages.

Rates of toll.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That there is hereby granted to said Corporation a toll for said transportation at the following rates, viz.—each foot passenger two cents, each horse and rider six cents, each sled, sleigh, cart or wagon drawn by one beast ten cents, each additional horse three cents, each chaise, chair or sulkey drawn by one horse, twelve and a half cents, each additional horse three cents, each sled sleigh or cart drawn by two horses or one yoke of oxen for the conveyance of merchandise, seventeen cents, each coach phaeton or vehicle drawn by two horses twenty cents, and if by four horses twenty five cents, droves of neat cattle or horses per head two cents, sheep goats or swine per dozen six cents.

Corporation may build Piers, &c. under direction of County Commissioners.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted*, That said Corporation be and hereby is authorized and empowered to build erect and maintain any piers and wharves necessary for maintaining said Ferry, on the shores and landing places of the Penobscot River at said Old-town Village and Milford, at such places as the County Commissioners for the County of Penobscot shall adjudge convenient and necessary ; *Provided* that said Corporation shall pay the owner or owners of the land or privilege so occupied and improved, such damages as the County Commissioners aforesaid shall assess.

Proviso.

Limitation of charter.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted*, That if said Ferry be not set up, and in operation in one year from the passing of this Act, the powers hereby granted shall be void.

Mode of calling first meeting.

SECT. 5. *Be it further enacted*, That any three of the persons named in the first section of this Act may call the first meeting of said Corporation for the purpose of choosing officers and transacting other Corporation business, such previous notice of said meeting being given in a fair and public manner.

## CHAPTER 572.

AN ACT to incorporate the town of Weston.

Approved March 17, 1835.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That the half Township known by the name of the Hampden Academy Grant in the County of Washington, with the inhabitants thereof be and the same hereby is incorporated into a town by the name of Corporate name. Weston, vested with all the powers and subject to all the Powers, privileges, &c. duties of other incorporated towns of this State.

## CHAPTER 573.

AN ACT to incorporate the town of Roxbury.

Approved March 17, 1835.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That the township numbered seven in the County of Oxford, bounded on the north Boundaries. by Byron, on the east by Weld, on the South by Carthage, Mexico and Rumford, and on the West by Andover, with the inhabitants thereof, be and the same hereby is incorporated into a town by the name of Roxbury; and the Corporate name. inhabitants of said town, are hereby vested with all the Powers, privileges, &c. rights, powers and immunities and subject to all the liabilities of other incorporated towns in this State.

## CHAPTER 574.

AN ACT to incorporate the Kennebec Lumbering Company.

Approved March 17, 1835.

**SECT. 1.** *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Henry L. Wiggin Josiah H. Hobbs Alfred W. Haven Daniel H. Treadwell Nathaniel G. Upham William Richardson Joseph Hobbs Joseph P. Wiggin Porter H. Wiggin Zebulon D. Chapman True Perkins Junior Algernon S. Howard their associates and successors be and they are hereby made and constituted a body politic and corporate by the name and style of the Kennebec Lumbering Company and by that name may sue and be sued prosecute and defend to final judgment and execution both in law and in equity and shall have all the powers and privileges and be subject to all the liabilities incident to corporations of a similar nature and said company may adopt a common seal and the same may alter break and renew at pleasure.

Names of persons incorporated.

Corporate name.

Powers, privileges and liabilities.

May manufacture lumber, adopt by laws and regulations, &amp;c.

Proviso.

May hold real estate and sell, lease or dispose of the same.

May hold personal estate, &amp;c. and dispose of the same.

**SECT. 2.** *Be it further enacted,* That said Company be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to manufacture Lumber at Waterville in this State and convey the same to market and said Company may do all things necessary and proper for carrying into effect the objects aforesaid and may make and adopt all necessary regulations and by-laws not repugnant to the Constitution and laws of this State—*Provided* that nothing in this Act shall be construed, to authorize said Company, to erect any dam across, or in any way to obstruct, or impede, the navigation of the Kennebec River—nor anything in this proviso be so construed as to deprive them of any rights or privileges which they would enjoy independently of this Act.

**SECT. 3.** *Be it further enacted,* That said Company may hold in fee or otherwise real estate to the amount of thirty thousand dollars and the same may sell lease or otherwise dispose of in whole or part by deed or otherwise and may hold personal estate to an amount not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars at any one time and the same

may dispose of at pleasure in whole or in part and said Company may at any meeting duly notified and holden for that purpose grant and vote money to be assessed by the Treasurer of the Company on the shares of the several owners in proportion to the amount of such shares and such assessments may be collected by the Treasurer, and in case any assessment shall remain unpaid for the term of thirty days from and after the same shall be granted and voted as aforesaid the Treasurer may sell at public vendue so much of such delinquent owners share or shares as will pay the assessment thereon with incidental charges and the Treasurer shall give public notice of the time and place of sale by causing the same to be published three weeks successively in some newspaper printed in Augusta in this State the last publication whereof to be before the day of sale and the place of sale shall always be in Waterville in this State, and the Treasurer shall give the purchaser a bill of sale signed by the President and countersigned by the Treasurer of the Company of the shares or part thereof so sold subject to be redeemed by the owner or owners his or their representatives within one year from and after the day of sale which bill of sale shall be recorded by the Clerk of the Company in the manner hereinafter prescribed for recording bills of sale when shares are sold by the owners thereof and such delinquent owner or owners his or their representatives may within said year redeem such shares or parts thereof so sold by paying the purchaser or depositing with the Treasurer the amount at which such shares or parts thereof were sold and twelve per cent. interest thereon from the time of sale ; and if the money be deposited with the Treasurer he shall give a receipt therefor ; and when any shares or part thereof shall be redeemed as aforesaid the Clerk shall enter the fact on the margin of his record opposite the bill of sale thereof ; *Provided* that no assessment shall in any case be increased and said company shall once in each year or oftener make a dividend of their profits and pay over the same to the person or persons entitled thereto if requested.

May vote assessments.

Proceedings in case assessments remain unpaid.

Bill of sale to be given by Treasurer of shares sold as above subject to be redeemed by owner.

Mode of redeeming shares so sold.

Clerk to enter on margin of record that such shares are redeemed.

Proviso.

**SECT. 4.** *Be it further enacted,* That the officers of said company shall be a President Vice President Clerk, Treasurer Agent a board of Directors to consist of not less than three nor more than seven and such other officers as may be deemed necessary and the Treasurer and Agent shall each give bond to the Company conditioned for the faithful discharge of the duties of their respective trusts and the Clerk shall be sworn to the faithful discharge of the duties of his office and he shall be Clerk of the board of Directors and an attested copy of his record of the doings of the Company and of the board of Directors or of a majority of said board who may in all cases act shall be received as evidence in all Courts of Law and Equity.

Officers of said Company.

Treasurer and Agent to give bonds, and Clerk to be sworn.

Copies of record to be received.

Owners of shares to receive certificates.

Certificates to be recorded, &c.

Mode of selling shares.

**SECT. 5.** *Be it further enacted,* That a certificate signed by the President and countersigned by the Clerk shall be issued to the owners of shares of his or their shares which certificates shall be recorded by the Clerk of the Company in a book to be provided for that purpose and at all times open to the inspection of any member of the Company or any creditor or creditors of the same and any owner or owners may sell his or their shares or any part thereof and convey the same by bill of sale in due form which shall be recorded by the Clerk in said book and the certificate of such share or shares shall be returned to the Clerk and new ones issued to the owner or owners of their respective shares and if said certificates and bills of sale be not recorded as aforesaid the holders thereof shall be subjected to the same liabilities as grantees of unrecorded Deeds.

Mode of calling first meeting.

**SECT. 6.** *Be it further enacted,* That Josiah H. Hobbs and Henry L. Wiggin or either of them may call the first meeting of said company by publishing the time place and object of holding the same three weeks successively in the Age a newspaper printed in Augusta the last publication to be before the day of meeting.

Execution against Company may in certain cases be

**SECT. 7.** *Be it further enacted,* That when any person shall obtain judgment and execution against said Company and the same shall not be paid within seven days after no-

ice in writing has been given to the Clerk thereof of the amount of such execution, and said Clerk shall not within said seven days show the creditor or officer holding said execution personal property of said Corporation sufficient to satisfy the same it shall be lawful for such creditor or officer to cause said execution to be levied upon any property of said Corporation or upon the private property of any Stockholder thereof at his election, *Provided* that no Stockholder shall be held liable for any debt of said Corporation to an amount exceeding the original cost of his stock *Provided also* that the liability of such stockholder shall continue one year from and after the time he shall have duly transferred his stock and no longer.

levied on private property of stockholders.

Proviso.

Additional Proviso.

SECT. 8. *Be it further enacted*, That any Stockholder who shall have been obliged to pay any demand against said Corporation out of his individual property, shall have a bill in equity originally to be tried in the Supreme Judicial Court to recover from the other Stockholders who may be liable for the same their proportional parts of such sums of money as he may have so paid and such damages and costs as the Court may decree and said bill in equity may be inserted in a writ of attachment or original summons.

Stockholders paying demand against Corporation may have bill in equity.

SECT. 9. *Be it further enacted*, That it shall be the duty of the Clerk of said Corporation whenever thereto requested by any creditor in any execution against the same or by the officer holding the said execution to furnish such creditor or officer within seven days after such request with the names of the stockholders thereof together with the names of the persons who have been stockholders within one year and a schedule of the property belonging to said Corporation.

Clerk when required to furnish creditor with names of Stockholders, &c.

## CHAPTER 575.

AN ACT to incorporate the Jefferson High School.

Approved March 17, 1835.

- SECT. 1.** *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Joseph Weeks, Jr. Justus Richardson, Stephen Chapman, Henry R. Bond George Weeks, John Eames, Jesse Rowell, Moses Jones Austen Jones, Paul Eames, William Joyce, William Jackson, 2d, Samuel Lord, Phineas Eames, jr., Michael Jones, Hartley W. Chapman, Isaac McCurdy, their associates and successors, be, and they hereby are constituted a body politic and corporate forever, by the name of the Jefferson High School; and by that name shall have power to prosecute and defend suits at law; to have and use a common seal; to take and hold for the objects of their association any estate real or personal, to an amount not exceeding Eight Thousand Dollars, and the same to use and dispose of at their pleasure: to make and execute any by-laws for the convenient management of their affairs, not repugnant to the laws of the State; and generally to have and enjoy all the powers and privileges incident to corporations instituted for literary and scientific purposes.
- SECT. 2.** *Be it further enacted,* That it shall be lawful for said corporation, to erect, maintain and keep in repair, suitable buildings for the accommodation of one or more schools, and for the repository of such books, philosophical and other apparatus as the corporation may deem necessary or proper.
- SECT. 3.** *Be it further enacted,* That the capital stock of said corporation shall be divided into shares of Twenty Dollars each:—and the number of votes to which each stockholder shall be entitled at all meetings of said stockholders shall be according to the number of shares he shall hold in the following proportions, that is to say, for one share one vote, and every two shares above one, shall give a right to one vote more, provided no one member shall have more than ten votes.

Names of persons incorporated.

Corporate name.

Powers, privileges, &amp;c.

May hold, use and dispose of real and personal estate — make by-laws, &amp;c.

May erect and maintain buildings, &amp;c.

Capital Stock to be divided into shares.

Number of votes to which Stockholders are entitled.



**SECT. 4.** *Be it further enacted,* That the shares on stock in this corporation shall be deemed and taken to be personal property, and held, transferred, pledged or sold as such, and whenever the corporation shall be dissolved, the property thereof, shall vest in the holders of the shares, at the time of such dissolution, according to their several and respective interests, subject to the legal and equitable claims of creditors of the corporation to be enforced according to law.

Shares to be deemed personal property.

**SECT. 5.** *Be it further enacted,* That any three of the corporators aforementioned may call the first meeting of said corporation, by giving verbal notice or leaving a written notice at their last and usual place of abode seven days at least before the time appointed for holding said meeting.

Mode of calling first meeting.

## CHAPTER 576.

AN ACT additional to an Act to incorporate the town of Naples.

Approved March 17, 1835.

**SECT. 1.** *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That nine Polls and twelve thousand eight hundred and ninety five dollars, be deducted from the town of Bridgton on the State valuation, twenty three Polls and six thousand nine hundred and thirty six dollars from the town of Harrison, forty Polls and fifteen thousand seven hundred and fifty nine dollars from the town of Otisfield, seventeen Polls and four thousand five hundred and sixty eight dollars from the town of Raymond, twenty nine Polls and five thousand three hundred and seven dollars from the town of Sebago, and the same be severally added to the town of Naples to be taxed therein.

State valuation of certain towns to be reduced and amount added to that of Naples.

**SECT. 2.** *Be it further enacted,* That the fourth section of the Act to which this is additional, passed March fourth in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty four, be and the same is hereby repealed—*Provided however,* the Treasurers and Collectors of said towns

Part of former act repealed. Laws of 1834, ch. 477, p. 707.

Proviso.

of Bridgton, Harrison, Otisfield, Raymond and Sebago shall have power to receive, demand and collect all tax lawfully assessed by their respective towns upon the Polls and Estates of the inhabitants of said town of Naples since the incorporation thereof, in the same way and manner as if this Act had never been passed.

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### CHAPTER 577.

AN ADDITIONAL ACT concerning the Bangor Insurance Company

Approved March 17, 1835.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That there be, and hereby is granted to the Bangor Insurance Company the further time of three years from the first day of April next, for paying in Fifty Thousand Dollars of the original capital of said Company.

Extension of time granted.

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### CHAPTER 578.

AN ACT authorizing the First Parish in Bath to sell their Meeting-house.

Approved March 17, 1835.

*SECT. 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That the First Parish in Bath be authorized to sell and convey their Meeting-house in said town, together with the rights to pews or seats in the same, and the lot of land on which the same stands, and by their Agent to make execute and deliver a good and sufficient deed thereof to the purchaser or purchasers:—  
*Provided* said Parish, at a legal meeting of the members thereof, and of the proprietors of pews and seats in said house, notified in the same warrant, shall vote in favor of such sale.

First Parish in Bath authorized to sell their meeting house.

Proviso.

**SECT. 2.** *Be it further enacted,* That the said proprietors of pews and seats shall be compensated by said parish for the sale of their rights thereto, at an appraisal to be made on oath by three disinterested persons to be chosen by ballot at such legal meeting of said members and proprietors; which appraisal shall be lodged with the Clerk of said Parish, and notice thereof by said Clerk and of the time limited for appeal, shall be published three weeks successively in a newspaper printed in Bath; and said appraisal shall be binding and final, so far as regards proprietors as shall not notify said Clerk in writing, within thirty days from said first publication, of their intention to appeal therefrom; and each proprietor giving such notice, shall be entitled to a certificate of having filed the same, and of the amount awarded on the pew or pews owned by him; and may, on filing such certificate, enter his appeal at the next Court of Common Pleas in and for the County of Lincoln, which shall proceed to ascertain the damages sustained by said appellant, in the same manner, and with the same liability to costs as on an appeal from a Justice of the Peace on an action of trespass, and issue execution accordingly.

Pews and seats to be appraised, by disinterested persons.

Such appraisal to be binding unless &c.

Proprietors may enter their appeal at next Court of Common Pleas.

Proceedings in such case.

**SECT. 3.** *Be it further enacted,* That if any balance shall remain from the proceeds of said sale after compensating said proprietors, and paying the debts of said Parish, it may by a vote of said Parish be distributed amongst the members thereof, according to the then next preceding valuation of polls and estates of said Parish.

Balance if any to be distributed.

## CHAPTER 579.

AN ACT authorizing the erection of a Free Bridge over Muddy River.

Approved March 19, 1835.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That William White, William Randall, and their associates be authorized to erect and maintain a Free Bridge over Muddy River in the town of Tops-

Certain persons authorized to erect bridge over Muddy River.

Proviso.

ham, from land of the heirs of the late Joseph O. Reed, on the one side of said River, to or near land of said heirs on the other side thereof. *Provided* said Bridge shall be erected sufficiently high to permit the free passage of loaded gondolas under the same.

## CHAPTER 580.

AN ACT to incorporate Dead River Company.

Approved March 19, 1835.

Persons incor-  
porated.

Corporate name.

Powers, privileg-  
es and liabilities.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Aaron Capen, Phineas Pratt, their associates and successors be and they are hereby made and constituted a body politic and corporate by the name and style of Dead River Company, and by that name may sue and be sued, prosecute and defend to final judgment and execution, both in law and in equity, and may make and adopt all necessary regulations and by-laws not repugnant to the Constitution and laws of this State; and may adopt a common seal, and the same may alter, break, and renew at pleasure and may grant and vote money.

Company author-  
ized to clear Dead  
River.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That said Company be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to clear Dead River of obstructions from the Forks of the Kennebec to the head of Long Falls in said Dead River, and may for that purpose break jams, blast and split rocks, remove logs, gravel-beds, and all other obstructions, and may erect, build and keep in repair guide booms and side dams, and render said river suitable to drive logs therein at a proper pitch of water.

Amount of per-  
sonal property.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted,* That said Company may hold personal estate to an amount not exceeding Two Thousand Dollars at any one time, and the same may divide into shares.

**SECT. 4.** *Be it further enacted,* That the officers of said Company shall consist of a President, Clerk, Treasurer, a board of three Directors, and such other officers, as shall be deemed necessary ; And that Aaron Capen and Phineas Pratt may call the first meeting of said Company, by publishing the time place and object of the meeting, in some newspaper printed in the county of Kennebec, and this Act shall take effect from the time the same may be approved.

Officers of said company.

First meeting—how called.

Act when to take effect.

**SECT. 5.** *Be it further enacted,* That if any person or persons, shall injure or destroy, any boom or side dam, erected by said Company or wilfully obstruct said Dead River, such offenders shall forfeit and pay a sum equal to double the amount of injury done, to be recovered in an action on the case in the name of the Company in any Court competent to try the same.

Penalty for injuring or destroying booms.

—how recovered.

## CHAPTER 581.

AN ACT in addition to an Act to incorporate the City of Bangor.

Approved March 19, 1835.

**SECT. 1.** *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That whenever the City Council of said City of Bangor shall lay out and establish any new street or public way or widen or otherwise alter any street or public way in said City and shall estimate and decide that any person or persons or corporations have or will sustain any damage thereby and the amount thereof to each in the manner that is or may be provided by the existing law, it shall be lawful for said City Council to apportion the damages so estimated and allowed or such part thereof as to them may seem just upon the lots or parcels of land adjacent to and bounded on such street or way and not those lots for which damages are allowed, in such proportions as in their opinion such lots or parcels of land are benefitted or made more valuable by such laying out,

City Council may apportion damages from laying out, &c. streets on such lots as are benefitted.

Proviso.

widening or altering of such street or public way—*Provided however* that the whole assessment so made shall in no case exceed three fourths of the damages so allowed—and *provided also* that before such assessment shall be made notice shall be given to all persons interested to appear before said City Council at a time and place specified, if they see cause, then and there to be heard upon the subject—which notice shall be published in two newspapers printed in said City at least one week prior to said time of hearing.

Assessments to be recorded and notice to be given to proprietors.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That after said assessment shall have been made upon such lots or parcels and the amount fixed upon each, the same shall be recorded by the City Clerk—and notice shall be given within thirty days after the assessment to each owner and proprietor of said lots and parcels by delivering to each of such owners who may reside in said City a certified copy of such recorded assessment—or by leaving such copy at his last and usual place of abode and by publishing the same six weeks successively in two newspapers published in said City—(the first publication to be within said thirty days) and it shall be the duty of said City Clerk within said thirty days to deposit in the Post Office in said City a certified copy of such assessment properly directed to each of such owners or proprietors who may reside out of said City and whose place of residence may be known to said City Clerk—and the certificate of said Clerk duly made shall be deemed and taken to be sufficient evidence of having deposited such copies in said Post Office—and of having delivered the same to such owner or owners living in said City—And in all cases of laying out, widening or altering any such street or public way and allowing or assessing damages as aforesaid the record of deeds for said County shall be evidence of title so far as notice is concerned.

City clerk to send notice to Proprietors residing out of the city.

County records to be evidence of title.

Proprietors aggrieved at such assessment may appeal.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted*, That any owner or proprietor as aforesaid who may feel aggrieved at the sum so assessed upon his lot or parcel of land may at any time within six months after such assessment shall have been

made, appeal therefrom to the Court of Common Pleas then next to be holden in the county of Penobscot, by leaving with said City Clerk a written notice of such intention—and the said party appealing shall enter his said appeal in said Court and produce certified copies of the proceedings of said City Council—which copies said City Clerk shall furnish upon demand, within a reasonable time, upon being paid or having tendered to him a reasonable compensation for making and certifying the same. And the said Court shall take cognizance of such case and if upon examination of said copies it shall appear that the proceedings of said City Council have been regular and according to the provisions of this Act, then said Courts shall proceed to try and determine by Jury or otherwise if the parties agree to any other mode, the question whether the said appellant or his said lot or parcel ought in justice to be assessed pursuant to this Act—and the spirit and intent thereof and if so in what sum. And if the final judgment of said Court, shall be for a less sum than that assessed by said City Council, then the appellant shall recover reasonable costs after such appeal—otherwise said city shall recover reasonable cost after such appeal—which shall be added to and become part of said assessment. And the Clerk of said Court within thirty days after final judgment as aforesaid shall deliver, to said City Clerk a certified copy of such judgment.

Proceedings  
in such case.

Clerk to furnish  
copies.

Court to take cognizance of said appeal and determine whether said lot ought to be assessed.

Costs, in what cases to be recovered.

Clerk of Court to deliver copy of judgment, &c.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted*, That in case the sum so assessed by said City Council upon such lots or parcels shall not be paid to the City Treasurer within six months after such assessment and no appeal shall have been claimed as aforesaid, the Mayor of said City under the direction and order of said City Council may issue his warrant directed to the Road or Street Commissioners for the time being, reciting substantially the proceedings before had and directing said officers to sell all such lots, the assessment upon which has not been paid as aforesaid at public auction to the highest bidder in said City (or so much of each as may be necessary to pay said assessment and all

Proceedings in case sum assessed is not paid within six months.

Notice of time  
and place of sale.

Duty of Street  
Commissioners  
to sell

Proviso.

Additional  
Proviso.

When party neg-  
lects to enter his  
appeal same pro-  
ceedings to be  
had, &c.

Assessment may  
be recovered in  
action for money  
had and received.

Act not to be in  
force till accepted.

intervening charges) first giving public notice of the time and place of sale by posting up a notice in some public place in said City and publishing the same six weeks successively before said sale in two newspapers printed in said City—And it shall be the duty of said Road or Street Commissioners to pursue and perform the directions of said warrant and to sell each and all such lots unless the said assessment and all charges shall be paid before the day of sale—and to execute and deliver to the purchaser a deed of the same—which deed shall convey a good title to the purchaser.—*Provided however* that any owner or owners may redeem the lot or lots so sold by paying or tendering to the purchaser or depositing with said City Treasurer, within two years after said sale the amount paid by such purchaser and interest thereon at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum. And *provided also* that a lien shall be in force and exist upon each of said lots and parcels for the payment of said assessment and all costs and charges, after said assessment is made and until the same is fully paid.

SECT. 5. *Be it further enacted*, That in all cases of appeal to the Court of Common Pleas, if the party appealing neglects to enter his appeal at said next term after such appeal—the same proceedings may be had as if no such appeal had been made and the same may be treated as a nullity—And in all cases after a final judgment in said Court the same proceedings may be had in the collection of said assessment and cost and charges as is provided in case of neglect to pay for six months after such assessment.

SECT. 6. *Be it further enacted*, That in all cases after such assessment shall have become due and payable, according to the provisions of this Act—the said City may recover the same and all legal costs of the individual owner or owners by an action for money had and received in the name of said City in any Court of competent jurisdiction, instead of pursuing the mode pointed out in the foregoing provisions of this Act.

SECT. 7. *Be it further enacted*, That this Act shall not take effect or be in force until it is accepted by a majority



of the legal voters of said City voting thereon at a general meeting to be called in the usual manner that town meetings are called by the Mayor and Aldermen—the vote on its acceptance to be taken by ballot. And the Mayor of said City to preside at such meeting and the City Clerk to record the doings thereof. But said City may accept any sections or parts of this Act and reject the remainder, if the said citizens voting as aforesaid shall so decide.

City may accept or reject any parts of this Act.

SECT. 8. *Be it further enacted*, That all the members of Companies of Firemen, Hose men, Hook and Ladder men, organized and appointed by the Mayor and Aldermen of said City, under the ordinance of said City be exempted from military duty, in the same manner, and to the same extent, as Enginemen are now by law exempted.

Members of fire department to be exempt from military duty.

## CHAPTER 582.

AN ACT to incorporate the town of Otis.

Approved March 19, 1835.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled*, That the eastern part of Township No. Eight or Otis, in the County of Hancock, bounded as follows, beginning, at the southwesterly corner of Lot number one hundred and thirty three, on the Ellsworth Line, and running north to the northerly line of said number Eight or Otis, thence east on said northerly line four miles to the western line of the Bingham Purchase, thence south on said line about seven miles, to the north east corner of Ellsworth, thence west on the line of Ellsworth, to the first mentioned bounds, with the inhabitants thereof, be, and hereby is incorporated into a Town by the name of Otis—vested with all the powers and subject to all the duties of other incorporated towns of this State.

Boundaries.

Powers, privileges, &c.

## CHAPTER 583.

AN ACT to reduce the toll of Back Cove Bridge.

Approved March 19, 1835.

Rates of toll  
reduced.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That instead of the toll established by the Act passed February twenty seventh one thousand seven hundred and ninety four to which this is in addition, there be granted to the Corporation created by said Act a toll according to the following rates, to wit. For each person and horse four cents, each chaise or sulkey drawn by one horse six and a quarter cents, each sleigh or waggon drawn by one horse four cents, each sleigh or waggon drawn by two horses five cents, each stage coach, phaeton or curricule drawn by two or more horses and not exceeding four, twelve and an half cents, each cart, waggon, sled or other carriage of burthen drawn by two or more beasts and not exceeding four, four cents—each additional yoke of oxen or pair of horses two cents, neat cattle or horses other than those rode upon or in carriages or teams one cent each, sheep and swine at the rate of four cents the dozen—elephant ten cents—all foot persons to pass toll free.

Act to continue in  
force two years.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That this Act shall continue and be in force, two years from and after the same shall be approved; at the expiration of which time, said Corporation shall be subject to the further order and regulation of the Legislature. And all Acts, or such parts thereof, as are inconsistent with the provisions of this Act, be and the same hereby are repealed.

## CHAPTER 584.

AN ACT to incorporate the Bank of Cumberland.

Approved March 19, 1835.

**SECT. 1.** *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That John Chandler, John Anderson, N. G. Jewett, Josiah S. Little, M. P. Sawyer, Enoch Crocker, Ira Crocker, James Smith, Isaac Dyer, Thomas Todd, E. R. Mudge, Nathan Nutter, George W. Pierce, James Rackleff, Thomas Crocker, Nathan Clifford, A. B. Thompson, John O'Brien, John McDonald, Jos. Sewall, William T. Vaughan, Samuel E. Crocker, Daniel Drinkwater, Reuben B. Dunn, A. W. H. Clapp, Ether Shepley, O'Neal W. Robinson, Charles Q. Clapp, William Evans, L. D. Cole, E. Wilson, John W. Smith, with their associates, successors and assigns, be, and hereby are, created a corporation, by the name of the President, Directors and Company of the Bank of Cumberland, and shall so continue until the first day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty seven; *Provided,* That said above named persons, or such of them as may be living at the time when said Bank shall commence operations, shall be stockholders, at that time, to an amount, in the aggregate, equal, at least, to fifty per centum of the capital stock mentioned in the second section of this Act, and continue stockholders, as aforesaid, until the whole of said capital stock shall have been paid into said Bank.

Names of persons incorporated.

Corporate name.

Limitation of charter.

Proviso.

**SECT. 2.** *Be it further enacted,* That said Bank shall be established in the city of Portland, in the County of Cumberland, and the Capital Stock thereof shall be Two Hundred Thousand Dollars in gold and silver, divided into shares of One Hundred Dollars each, and seven persons shall constitute a Board of Directors.

Bank to be established in Portland.

Capital Stock.

**SECT. 3.** *Be it further enacted,* That said Corporation shall be entitled to all the powers and privileges, and subject to all the duties, liabilities and requirements, specified in an Act, entitled "An Act to regulate Banks and Banking," passed the thirty first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and thirty one.

Powers, privileges and liabilities.

Vol. 3, chap. 519, page 376.

**SECT. 4.** *Be it further enacted,* That the four persons first above named, or any three of the said four, may at the first meeting of said Corporation, by publishing the time and place thereof in some newspaper, printed in said city of Portland fourteen days previously; at which meeting a Board of Directors may be chosen, and all other necessary corporation business transacted.

Made of calling  
first meeting.

## CHAPTER 585.

AN ACT to increase the Capital Stock of the Casco Bank in Portland

Approved March 19, 1835.

**SECT. 1.** *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That the President, Directors and Company of the Casco Bank in Portland be and they hereby are allowed to increase the capital stock of said Bank One Hundred Thousand Dollars in addition to its present capital stock, to be divided into additional shares of One Hundred Dollars each.

Capital Stock in-  
creased \$100,000.

**SECT. 2.** *Be it further enacted,* That Fifty Thousand Dollars of said additional capital of One Hundred Thousand Dollars shall be paid into said Bank in gold and silver on or before the first Monday in October next, and the residue of said additional capital shall be paid into said Bank in gold and silver on or before the first Monday of April, which shall be in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty six.

When Capital  
Stock shall be  
paid in.

**SECT. 3.** *Be it further enacted,* That loans may be made by said Bank, upon said sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars, whenever the Directors thereof or a majority of them, together with the Cashier of said Bank shall have signed and verified by oath and filed in the office of the Secretary of State, a certificate that said sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars has been so paid into said Bank, and not before; and upon the residue of said additional capital whenever the Directors or a majority of them, together with the Cashier

When loans may  
be made on said  
additional Capital.

of said Bank shall have signed and verified by oath and filed in the office of the Secretary of State a certificate that said residue of said additional capital has been so paid into said Bank, and not before.

## CHAPTER 586.

AN ACT to incorporate the Mattawamkeag Canal Company.

Approved March 17, 1835.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Cyrus Moore, Robert M. N. Smyth and Nathl. Treat, their associates, successors and assigns be and they hereby are incorporated into a body politic by the name of the Mattawamkeag Canal Company, with power to sue and be sued, to have a common seal; and to make any by-laws for the management of their affairs, not repugnant to the laws of the State.

Names of persons incorporated.

Corporate name.  
Powers, privileges, &c.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That said Corporation shall have power to survey lay out and make a Canal from Puskaw falls on the Penobscot river to Mattawamkeag point, either by the thoroughfare and up the cook, so called, or up the Penobscot and birch stream, and thence across the land to Sunkhaze dead water, with suitable locks, sluices and dams; and to take and use such land, not exceeding ten rods in width, and the waters of any pond or stream, on the route of said canal as shall be necessary for the purposes aforesaid; and to hold and manage such real estate as may be necessary for the convenient operations of the Company not exceeding Twenty Five Thousand Dollars—*Provided,* That said Corporation shall not be empowered to interfere with, or in any way impair the navigation of the main channel of Penobscot river, or to disturb the bed of the same, or divert the water in said river from its natural channel at any time to the injury of owners of mills on said river, or any persons navigating the same with boats or lumber—*And it is further provided* that said Corporation

Corporation empowered to construct canal, use land, waters of ponds, &c., and hold real estate.

Proviso.

Additional proviso.

shall not divert the water of any stream now navigable for logs to the injury of the same.

**SECT. 3.** *Be it further enacted,* That the Proprietors of said Canal shall be liable for all damages that may be sustained by reason of said Canal—and that if any persons shall sustain any injury by the exercise of the powers herein granted to said Corporation, and the amount the same cannot be agreed upon by the parties, he or they so sustaining injury shall have a right of action for the same in any Court competent to try the same.

**SECT. 4.** *Be it further enacted,* That if any person shall wilfully or maliciously injure or destroy any part of said Canal or appendages thereof, such person or persons for every such offence, shall forfeit and pay to said Corporation treble damages, to be sued for and recovered in any Court competent to try the same—and shall be further liable to indictment, and on conviction, shall be sentenced to fine or imprisonment at the discretion of the Court.

**SECT. 5.** *Be it further enacted,* That a toll shall be hereby granted and established for the benefit of said Corporation, according to the rates following, viz:—For all sawed long lumber passing through said Canal in raft or otherwise, ten cents per mile, for each thousand feet board measure; for clap-boards, twelve cents per thousand for each mile; shingles, one and a half cents per thousand for each mile; cord wood and bark, twelve and a half cents per cord for each mile; staves, twelve and a half cents per thousand for each mile; for all timber, masts, logs and spars, eight cents per ton for each mile; and for all other lumber, in proportion to the above rates, per quantity in bulk; for all kinds of country produce, goods or merchandise, ten cents per ton for each mile; which toll shall commence and be payable when any part of said Canal, locks or sluices shall be passable for any of the articles aforesaid, and the said Corporation shall have a lien upon all articles so passing and shall have power to detain the same for the toll aforesaid, until the same be paid; and at the expiration of ten days after said tolls become due, may raise the same

Proprietors liable for damages, &c.

Parties injured to have a right to action for damages.

Penalty for wilfully injuring any part of canal.

Rates of toll.

Corporation to have lien on all articles for toll.

May sell at auction after 10 days.

public or private sale of so much of said articles as will pay the amount due for toll and the expenses of collecting the same—or the said Corporation may sue for and recover the same, in any Court proper to try the same.

—or sue for and recover the same.

SECT. 6. *Be it further enacted*, That this Act in all legal proceedings shall be deemed and taken to be a public Act, *Provided*, if said Corporation shall not make and complete said Canal, locks, dams and sluices within six years from the passing of this Act, and shall not within two years from the passage of this Act, determine upon and locate the route of said Canal and enter the same upon their records, by which location they shall be bound, then this Act shall be void.

This Act in legal proceedings to be deemed a public act.

Proviso.

SECT. 7. *Be it further enacted*, That either of the persons named in this Act, be authorized to call the first meeting of this Corporation, by causing notice thereof to be published in any newspaper printed in Bangor seven days prior to said meeting—At which meeting the Corporation may be organized, and such by-laws and regulations, in relation to the officers of said Corporation, their powers and duties, the number of shares into which the capital stock shall be divided and all other necessary rules and regulations for the proper management of their concerns, be adopted as may be deemed proper.

Mode of calling first meeting.

Corporation to be organized, pass by laws, &c.

## CHAPTER 587.

AN ACT to incorporate the Waldo Coal, Iron, Marble and Lime, Mining and Manufacturing Company.

Approved March 20, 1835.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled*, That Erastus Foote, Alfred Johnson Jr., Hugh J. Anderson, Joseph Williamson, Denny McCobb, Hezekiah Prince Jr., Nathaniel C. Eastbrook, Benja. Cushing, Charles Pendleton, Warren Rawson, Francis Fletcher 2d, David McKay, Jones Shaw,

Persons incorporated.

**Corporate name.** Thomas Hodgman, Albert Reed,—and such others as may hereafter be associated with them, their successors and assigns, be, and they are hereby made a body politic and corporate, by the name of the Waldo Coal, Iron, Marble and Lime Mining and Manufacturing Company, for the purpose of searching and digging for Coal, Iron and other Ores, and opening any pits and quarries of Marble and Lime Rock, or mineral substances, on land which may be owned by them, or either of them, or purchased by said Company, within the County of Waldo, and converting the same Ores, Mineral substances, Marble and Lime Rock into any commodity, or useful manufacture.

**Powers, privileges and liabilities.** **SECT. 2.** *Be it further enacted,* That said Corporation, shall for this purpose, have and enjoy, all the powers and privileges, and be subject to all the duties and requirements, contained in the several public Acts now in force, respecting Manufacturing Companies—and said Corporation may have and use a common seal and change the same at pleasure, and by its name aforesaid, may sue and be sued, prosecute and defend suits at law ; may ordain and establish such by-laws, ordinances, and regulations, as shall be necessary and convenient, for the government and prudent management of the affairs of the corporation ; *Provided* such by-laws, ordinances and regulations, shall in no wise be contrary to the laws of the State. •

**Amount of real and personal estate.** **SECT. 3.** *Be it further enacted,* That said Corporation may purchase, take and hold, real and personal estate of what kind, or nature soever, to an amount, at any one time, not exceeding Two Hundred Thousand Dollars, and may sell and dispose of the same, and may erect on the real estate so purchased, and held, such works and buildings, as shall be necessary, or useful in conducting the business of the corporation—and for the well ordering the affairs of said Company, they shall annually elect a Treasurer and Clerk, and such other officers, as may be found necessary, and all orders, bills and notes drawn, or settlements made by the Treasurer and attested by the Clerk shall be binding on the corporation—a Treasurer and Clerk shall be cho-

**Mayerect suitable buildings.**

**Officers to be chosen annually.**

**Orders, &c. drawn by Treasurer to be binding.**

**Treasurer and**



sen by the stockholders, at the first meeting called as hereinafter provided, and the Capital Stock of the Corporation, shall be divided into such number of shares, and of such amount, and paid in from time to time, in such instalments, as may be fixed by vote, at that, or any subsequent meeting of the stockholders, duly had for that purpose.

clerk to be chosen at first meeting.

Capital Stock to be divided into shares, &c.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted*, That the first meeting of said Corporation, shall be held, at such time and place, in the County of Waldo, and be notified in such manner, as any five of the persons herein named, shall direct, by notice in one of the public papers printed in the county of Waldo.

First meeting—how called.

## CHAPTER 588.

AN ACT to incorporate the Washington County Bank.

Approved March 20, 1835.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled*, That Otis L. Bridges, Joseph N. Prescott, Isaac Pool, William Todd, J. A. Balkam, Albert G. Lane, Charles Peavy, Benjamin B. Leavitt, Seth Emerson, Andrew Hinkley, Joshua Veasey, William Delesdernier, Luther C. White, Luther Brackett, John C. Pool, William Spring, Joseph Whitney, George H. Delesdernier, Bion Bradbury, John Stickney, Seth Heal, Benjamin F. Waite, Edward E. Titcomb, Theodore Jellison, James Ruggles, T. J. D. Fuller, William Kelly, Stephen Emerson, Solomon Thayer, Oliver N. Allen, H. G. Balch, James M. Lincoln, John J. Pearey, Job Holmes, and S. A. Morse, with their associates, successors, and assigns, be and they hereby are incorporated into a company by the name of the President, Directors and Company of the Washington County Bank and shall so continue until the first day of October one thousand eight hundred and forty seven;—*Provided* that the persons above named, or so many of them as may be living when said Bank shall go into operation,

Persons incorporated.

Corporate name.

Proviso.

shall become stockholders therein to an amount not less than fifty per centum of the capital stock.

Amount of Capital Stock.

Bank to be in the town of Calais.

Board of Directors, number of

Volume 3, chap. 519, page 376.

Mode of calling first meeting.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That the capital stock of said Bank shall be Fifty Thousand Dollars in gold and silver divided into shares of One Hundred Dollars each. And said Bank shall be established in the town of Calais.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted*, That five persons shall constitute a Board of Directors, and said corporation shall be entitled to all the powers and privileges, and be subject to all the duties and liabilities, specified in an Act to regulate Banks and Banking, passed the thirty first day of March one thousand eight hundred and thirty one.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted*, That any five of the persons abovenamed may call the first meeting of said corporation by publishing the time and place thereof in the Eastern Democrat printed at Eastport, fourteen days previous to the time of said meeting ; and at said meeting the said corporation shall have power to choose a Board of Directors and do any other corporation business.

## CHAPTER 589.

AN ACT to increase the Capital Stock of the Calais Bank.

Approved March 20, 1835.

Capital Stock of Calais Bank increased.

Additional capital, when to be paid in.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled*, That the President, Directors and Company of the Calais Bank be and they hereby are allowed to increase the capital stock of said Bank Fifty Thousand Dollars in addition to its present capital of Fifty Thousand Dollars, to be divided into shares, additional One Hundred Dollars each.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That Twenty-five Thousand Dollars of said additional capital of Fifty Thousand Dollars shall be paid into said Bank, in gold and silver money within six months from the passage of this Act, and the residue of said additional capital shall be paid into

id Bank, in gold and silver money within twelve months  
om the passage of this Act.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted*, That loans may be  
ade by said Bank, upon said sum of Twenty Five Thou-  
and Dollars, whenever the Directors thereof, or a major-  
y of them, together with the Cashier of said Bank shall  
ave signed, and verified by oath and filed in the office of  
he Secretary of State a certificate that said sum of Twen-  
y Five Thousand Dollars has been, in manner aforesaid,  
aid into said Bank and not before; and upon the residue  
of said additional sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars, when-  
ever the Directors, or a majority of them, together with  
the Cashier of said Bank shall have signed and verified by  
oath, and filed in the office of the Secretary of State—a  
certificate that the residue of said additional capital has  
been, in manner aforesaid, paid into said Bank, and not  
before.

When loans may  
be made on said  
additional capital.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted*, That the Act passed the  
eighth day of February in the year of our Lord eighteen  
hundred thirty four, entitled, "An Act to increase the cap-  
ital stock of the Calais Bank and the number of Direct-  
ors," be, and the same hereby is repealed.

Part of former act  
repealed.  
Laws of 1834,  
ch. 417, p. 682.

## CHAPTER 590.

AN ACT to incorporate the Kennebec Log Driving Company.

Approved March 20, 1835.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Repre-  
sentatives, in Legislature assembled*, That John White, Mar-  
shall French, Oliver B. Dorrance, George W. King, David  
Scribner, Ezra Carter Junior, David Wescott, Alvah Sweet-  
ser, John Bradley, Ebenezer H. Scribner, Levi M. Pratt,  
Aaron Capen, Phineas Pratt, Henry Bowman, Benjamin  
Weston Junior, Josiah H. Hobbs, their associates and suc-  
cessors, be, and they are hereby made and constituted, a

Names of persons  
incorporated.

body politic and corporate, by the name and style of the  
**Corporate name.** Kennebec Log Driving Company, and by that name may  
 sue, and be sued, prosecute and defend, to final judgment  
**Powers, privileges, &c.** and execution, both in law, and in equity, and may make  
 and adopt all necessary regulations and by-laws, not repugnant to the Constitution and Laws of this State, and  
 may adopt a common seal, and the same may alter, break,  
**May hold personal estate not exceeding, &c.** and renew at pleasure, and may hold personal estate, not  
 exceeding the sum of Five Thousand Dollars at any one  
 time, and may grant and vote money. And said Company  
**May drive logs and timber belonging to company.** shall drive all logs and other timber belonging to said Company  
 or any of the members thereof that may be in the  
 Kennebec River for that purpose, below the Forks, to such  
 place of destination, on said River, as may be designated  
 by the owner of such logs and other timber, such place  
 not to be below the booms at Gardiner, at as early a period  
 as practicable. And said Company may, for the purposes  
**Company may remove obstructions, &c.** aforesaid, remove obstructions, break jams, and  
 erect booms, where the same may be lawfully done, and  
 shall have all the powers and privileges, and be subject to  
 all the liabilities incident to Corporations of a similar nature.

**Officers of corporation — tenure of office, &c.—and when to be chosen.**  
**Sect. 2.** *Be it further enacted,* That the officers of said  
 Company shall be a Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, a board  
 of five Directors, three of whom shall be a Quorum to  
 transact business, and such other officers as may be deemed  
 necessary, all of whom shall hold their offices till the  
 annual meeting next following their election, and till others  
 be chosen in their stead, and the Clerk, and Directors shall  
**Clerk and Directors to be sworn.** be sworn to the faithful discharge of the duties of their  
 respective offices. And the Directors shall, in writing,  
 appoint a Master Driver, and such other officers as they  
**Directors may appoint Master Driver.** shall judge necessary.

**First meeting, how called, place and time of, and proceedings.**  
**Sect. 3.** *Be it further enacted,* That the first meeting  
 of said Company shall be called by Henry Bowman and  
 Phineas Pratt, or either of them, to be holden at Gardiner  
 on the twenty seventh day of March 1835, at ten of the  
 clock in the forenoon, by publishing the place and object

of holding said meeting, in some newspaper printed in Augusta and Portland, at which meeting or some adjournment thereof, the officers of the Company shall be chosen, and the time of holding the annual meeting fixed, and by-laws adopted.

**SECT. 4.** *Be it further enacted,* That all logs usually designated prize logs, that may at any time be in said River or which may have drifted on the banks or islands thereof below said Forks, and above said booms, and not having thereon some mark for the purpose of designating the owner or owners thereof, shall be the property of said Company, and the Master Driver shall, from time to time, sell the same at public vendue, at Gardiner, at such times, as the Directors shall appoint, and he shall give public notice of the time and place of sale, by publishing the same, three weeks successively, in some newspaper printed in Augusta Bath and Portland, the last publication whereof to be before the day of sale, and by posting up a like notice the same term of time before the sale, in some public place, in each of the towns of Gardiner, Augusta, and Waterville. And the proceeds of such sale, after deducting the necessary expenses thereof, shall be paid by the Master Driver to the Treasurer, to be by the Company appropriated toward defraying the expenses of the drive. And if any person or persons shall take and carry away, or otherwise convert to his, or their use, without the consent of said Company, any such logs, or other timber, or shall cut, alter, or destroy any mark put thereon by said Company, or any officer, agent, or servant thereof, he, or they shall be subject to all the liabilities provided for similar offences, in an Act, entitled "An Act to secure to owners their property in Logs, Masts, Spars and other timber" passed April 1, 1881 and said Company shall be entitled to all the remedies in said Act provided. Also of an Act entitled "An Act to secure to owners their property in Logs Masts Spars and other timber in certain cases" approved March 16, 1921. *Provided however,* any owner or owners of logs sold as aforesaid, may within one year from and after the

Prize logs, to be the property of the company.

Same may be sold at public auction.

Notice of time and place of sale.

Proceeds of sale, how appropriated.

Penalty for carrying away or converting such logs, altering marks, &c.

Volume 3, chap. 521, page 489.

Volume 2, chap. 168, page 749.

Proviso.

time of such sale, on proof of his or their property therein, recover of said Company the proceeds of the sale thereof on paying the expenses of driving and sale.

Statement to be  
filed with Clerk.

SECT. 5. *Be it further enacted*, That the members of said corporation at any time, owning logs or other timber on said River, or any of its tributary waters, or lying on the banks or shores thereof, and intended to be driven down said River, between said Forks and booms, or any part of that distance, shall on, or before the tenth day of June 1835, file with the clerk of said Company a statement in writing, signed by such owner, or owners, his or their Agent, duly authorized, of all such logs and other timber, of the number of feet board measure of all such logs and other timber and the mark thereon, and what portion thereof has been driven by said Company, and shall on or before the tenth day of June annually afterwards, file a like statement with the Clerk of the Company, and the Directors or one of them shall require such owner, or owners, or agent presenting such statement, to make solemn oath that the same is in his, or their judgment and belief true, which oath the Directors, or either of them are hereby empowered to administer. And said Directors shall, as soon as it can conveniently be done after said tenth day of June annually, make an assessment of such sum, or sums as they shall deem necessary to defray the expenses of driving such logs and other timber, to be apportioned among the owners thereof, in proportion to the amount of such logs and other timber driven to the place of destination as aforesaid, or any part of the distance, short of the point of destination taking into consideration the difficulty, distance, and expense of driving the same. And said Company shall have a lien on all such logs and other timber driven, for the expenses of driving the same, which lien may be discharged by sufficient bond being given to the Company, conditional that such expenses shall be seasonably paid. And if any owner or owners shall neglect or refuse to file a statement in the manner herein prescribed, the Directors may assess such delinquent or delin-

How said sums  
are to be apportioned.

Company to have  
lien on logs, &c.  
driven for expenses.

Proceedings in  
case proprietor  
refuses to file  
statement.

quents for his, or their proportion of such expenses, such sum, or sums as may be by the Directors considered just and equitable. And the Directors shall give public notice of the time and place of making such apportionment, by publishing the same in some newspaper printed in Augusta, Bath and Portland two weeks successively, the last publication to be before the day of making such apportionment. And the Directors shall give the Treasurer a list of all such assessments under their hands, with a warrant in due form under their hands. And the Treasurer shall have power to collect such assessments by distress of the logs and other timber driven as aforesaid, and shall have the same powers, and pursue the same course of proceeding, as is by law prescribed to collectors of towns making distress of personal property; or the Treasurer may recover such assessments in an action of debt, in the name of the Kennebec Log Driving Company, in any Court competent to try the same, and no action shall abate by reason of all the owners not being joined as defendants. And any assessment or assessments, when the owner or owners of any logs or other timber shall not be known to the Directors may be set to the mark on such logs or other timber. And the Directors shall keep a record of all assessments which shall at all times be open to the inspection of all persons interested.

Directors to give notice of time and place of making apportionment.

—and give lists of assessments to Treasurer.

Treasurer to collect the same by distraining logs;

—or by action of debt in name of corporation.

Assessments may be set to mark on timber.

Directors to keep record of assessments.

SECT. 6. *Be it further enacted,* That any owner or owners of logs and other timber, on said River, or any of its tributary waters, may take and use on his or their logs, or other timber, any mark, not before used by any other person on said River, or any of its tributary waters, and such mark may be left with the Clerk of said Company, and shall be by him recorded in a book, to be by him kept for that purpose, which shall at all times be open to the inspection of all persons interested. And if any other person, or persons, shall use such mark on any logs or other timber on said River, or any of its tributary waters, after such mark shall have been so recorded, such offender or offenders shall forfeit and pay Twenty Dollars for every

Owners may take and use any mark &c. and have the same recorded.

Penalty for using mark so appropriated.

such offence to be recovered by action, in any Court competent to try the same, one half to the use of the person prosecuting, and the other half to the use of the Company.

Private property  
of individuals  
holden to pay  
company debts.

SECT. 7. *Be it further enacted*, That the private property of individuals of the Company shall be holden to pay the debts contracted by the Company, in default of Company property, whereon execution may be satisfied.

Former Acts  
repealed.

SECT. 8. *Be it further enacted*, That all Acts and parts of Acts so far as the same relate to driving logs and other timber on Kennebec River be and the same are hereby repealed, and this Act shall take effect from the time the same shall be approved.

## CHAPTER 591.

AN ADDITIONAL ACT establishing the Kennebec Boom Corporation.

Approved March 21, 1836.

Extension of  
powers of Kenne-  
bec Boom Corpo-  
ration.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled*, That the Kennebec Boom Corporation shall have power in addition to the places now authorized by the several Acts to construct and maintain Booms, to construct and maintain side Booms near Brown's Island (so called) in the town of Hallowell and also near the small Island above the village in said town—*Provided however*, That the free navigation of the Kennebec River shall not be interrupted or impaired thereby.

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Booms to be con-  
structed prior to  
first day of May,  
1836.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That said Corporation shall be prohibited from constructing Booms in any place above tide waters, where it shall neglect to construct a Boom or Booms prior to the first day of May one thousand eight hundred and thirty six.

Duty of corpora-  
tion as to logs  
and timber run-  
ning in Kennebec  
River

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted*, That said Corporation be required whenever any logs or timber shall be running in the Kennebec River to use all reasonable exertion, care and diligence, to tow into and secure in their several Booms situated in tide waters, all such logs or timber as the said Corporation are by law authorized to stop and secure,



and shall as soon as practicable thereafter raft and secure such logs or timber, and shall raft in separate rafts, unless otherwise directed by the owners thereof, the logs or timber of each owner or Company of owners, who shall seasonably furnish the Agent or Boom-master of said Corporation with his or their respective marks; and the owner or owners of such logs or timber shall make said Corporation a reasonable compensation for the warp or rope used for rafting the same; or shall furnish and substitute his or their own warp for that of the said Corporation—And the said Corporation shall not be entitled to the additional fees for booming, for the keeping of logs or timber, longer than one month, as prescribed in the third section of the Act, to which this Act is additional, on such logs or timber the respective marks of which the owners thereof have seasonably furnished as aforesaid—

Owners of logs, &c. to compensate corporation for use of warp, &c.

Not entitled to additional fees in certain cases.

**SECT. 4.** *Be it further enacted,* That the provisions of the second section of the Act establishing the Kennebec Boom Corporation, which relates to clearing the Booms daily of the logs intended to be run further down the Kennebec River, be and the same hereby is restricted and deemed to apply only to said Booms and not to the Booms erected in tide waters in virtue of subsequent Acts.

Provisions of 2d section of act of incorporation not to apply to booms erected in virtue of subsequent acts.

**SECT. 5.** *Be it further enacted,* That whenever said Corporation and any persons interested in logs or timber which may be boomed or rafted as aforesaid, or in any manner connected or concerned therewith shall be unable to agree as to the amount of any claim for damages or otherwise,—each party shall choose a person as arbitrator, and in case said arbitrators cannot agree, said arbitrators shall make choice of a third person and the decision of whom or the major part of whom to be final both as it respects the costs of said reference and all other matters and things which may be submitted to their decision; reserving however to either party a right of appeal from such decision and a trial at common law, if claimed by either as in other cases. *Provided however,* That the provisions of this section shall not be so construed as to prevent said Corporation having recourse to legal process for the collecting of boomage.

Proceedings when corporation and owners of timber cannot agree as to claims to damages.

Right of appeal reserved.

Proviso.

SECT. 6. *Be it further enacted*, That all Acts or part of Acts inconsistent with the provisions of this Act bear the same hereby are repealed.

## CHAPTER 592.

AN ACT to incorporate the Proprietors of the Merrymeeting Bridge.

Approved March 21, 1835.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled*, That William King, George F. Patten, Joseph Sewall, David C. Magoun, William Richardson, John Patten, Daniel Marston, Charles Clapp and Oliver Moses, with their associates and successors, be and they hereby are constituted a body politic and corporate, by the name of the Proprietors of Merrymeeting Bridge, with power to erect and maintain a Bridge over the Androscoggin River, at or across Mustard's Island, so called, and from land in Brunswick to that on the opposite side in Topsham, and to purchase and hold such estate, real and personal, as may be necessary to carry into complete effect the object aforesaid, and with all other powers usually granted or incident to such Corporations.

Names of persons incorporated.

Corporate name.

Powers, privileges, and right to hold property.

Construction and location of bridge.

Rates of toll to be fairly and legibly printed.

Proprietors to keep and maintain a sufficient draw for passage of vessels, &c.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That said Bridge shall be well built of good materials, at least twenty four feet wide, well railed, and kept in good, safe and passable repair; and at the place where tolls are collected, the rates of toll shall be fairly and legibly printed in large or capital letters, and kept constantly exposed to the view of passengers.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted*, That said Proprietors shall build and keep ready for opening, over the main channel and as nearly as may be at right angles to the same a sufficient draw for all vessels of ten or more tons burden and for Steam Boats passing up or down said river with all reasonable facility and convenience and shall at all times

use said draw when requested for the passage of such vessels; and shall also keep open, under said Bridge, a sufficient passage way of at least seventy five feet wide, on the Eastern side of said Island, and another similar passage way of at least fifty feet wide on the Western side of said Island, each as nearly as may be at right angles to the channel and each for the passage of rafts up and down said river, and to be made and kept in the most convenient place therefor: and said passageways shall be of sufficient height for the passage of Gondolas ordinarily loaded with boards or other lumber under the same at common high water. Said Proprietors shall also keep a sufficient light suspended under the centre of the wide passage way aforesaid, during the night time, whenever the same shall be useful for rafts or gondolas, passing as aforesaid.

—and sufficient passage way for passage of rafts, &c.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted*, That said Proprietors shall be liable to the owners of saw mills, erected at the falls above said Bridge, before the erection of said Bridge, for damage, if any, thereto from back water occasioned by the erection of said Bridge, except the same shall be owing to freshets or unavoidable casualty.

Proprietors liable to owners of saw mills, &c., for damage.

SECT. 5. *Be it further enacted*, That the four first named Corporators, or any two of them, be authorized to call the first meeting of said Corporation by notice of the time and place thereof, published two weeks before said meeting in a newspaper printed in Bath; at which meeting it shall be lawful to choose a Clerk, Treasurer and such other officers as may be thought proper; to determine the mode of calling future meetings, and the manner of voting therein; and then, or at any future meeting, to make by-laws for their regulation and government, not repugnant to the laws of the State.

First meeting—how called—proceedings of, &c.

SECT. 6. *Be it further enacted*, That said Proprietors may lawfully demand and receive, at said Bridge, of all persons passing the same, a toll not exceeding the following rates, namely, for each foot passenger two cents; each person and horse six cents; each chaise or sulkey drawn by one horse twelve and a half cents; each sleigh drawn

Rates of toll established.

by two horses, twelve and a half cents; each coach, phaeton, chariot or curricule, twenty five cents; each wagon, cart, sled, or other carriage of burden drawn by one or two beasts, and for each sleigh drawn by one horse, eight cents; and for each additional yoke of cattle or horse in the same team, two cents; neat cattle or horses, exclusive of those rode on, or harnessed, two cents each; sheep and swine at the rate of eight cents the dozen; elephants fifty cents each; other beasts of show, six cents each: and to each team, one person, and no more as a driver may pass free of toll: and all persons who shall be actually on military duty shall be permitted to pass free of toll.

### CHAPTER 593.

AN ACT to provide for the sale and distribution of the Ministerial and School Lands in the Plantation of Argyle.

Approved March 21, 1835.

**SECT. 1.** *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That the Assessors, Plantation Clerk and Treasurer of the Plantation of Argyle in the County of Penobscot, for the time being, be, and they hereby are constituted and declared to be a body corporate and Trustees of the Ministerial and School Lands in said Plantation, so long as the same shall remain unincorporated; with power to prosecute and defend suits at law, to have a common seal to make any by-laws not repugnant to the laws of this State with all other powers incident by law to such Corporations and said Trustees shall annually elect a President, Clerk and Treasurer, and the Treasurer shall give bond with sufficient sureties in the opinion of the Trustees for the faithful discharge of his trust, and the Clerk shall be sworn to the faithful discharge of his duty.

Assessors, Clerk and Treasurer of Argyle made body corporate.

Powers, privileges, &c.

To choose officers annually.

Treasurer to give bond, and Clerk to be sworn.

Duties and powers of said Trustees.

**SECT. 2.** *Be it further enacted,* That the Trustees aforesaid be and they are hereby vested with all the powers granted to and be subject to and perform all the duties required by law of Trustees of incorporated towns for similar purposes.

## CHAPTER 594.

AN ACT to incorporate the People's Bank.

Approved March 21, 1885.

- SECT. 1.** *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That William D. William-son, Edward A. Emerson, Benjamin Wiggin Jr., Benjamin Tainter, Albert G. Jewett, Isaac Hodsdon, John C. Dexter, Warren Preston, Joshua Carpenter, Charles Stetson, Samuel Hudson, J. H. Mitchell, Theodore B. McIntire, John True, Samuel True, Nathaniel Haynes, their associates, successors and assigns shall be, and hereby are created a Corporation by the name of the President Directors and Company of the People's Bank, which shall be established in the City of Bangor, in the County of Penobscot, and shall so continue until the first day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty seven. *Names of persons incorporated.*
- Provided,* that such of the above named persons as may be living at the time when said Bank shall commence operations, shall be stockholders therein, to an amount, in the aggregate, equal, at least, to fifty per centum of the capital stock mentioned in the second section of this Act, and continue stockholders as aforesaid until the whole of said capital stock shall have been paid into said Bank. *Corporate name.*
- SECT. 2.** *Be it further enacted,* That the capital stock of said Corporation shall consist of the sum of One Hundred Thousand Dollars, in gold and silver, and be divided into one thousand shares, of One Hundred Dollars each. *To be established in Bangor.*
- SECT. 3.** *Be it further enacted,* That the Cashier of said Bank, being sworn as the law directs, shall record the doings of the Stockholders as well as of the Directors of said Bank. *Limitation of charter.*
- SECT. 4.** *Be it further enacted,* That said Corporation shall be entitled to all the powers and privileges, and be subject to all the duties liabilities and requirements specified in an Act entitled an Act to regulate Banks and Banking passed the thirty-first day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty one. *Previous.*
- Amount of Capital Stock.*
- Duties of cashier.*
- Powers, privileges and liabilities.*
- Vol. 3, chap. 519, page 376.*

**SECT. 5.** *Be it further enacted,* That William D. Williamson, Joshua Carpenter, Isaac Hódsdon, and Samuel Hudson, or any two of them, may call the first meeting of said Corporation by publishing the time and place thereof in one of the newspapers published in said Bangor fourteen days previously; at which meeting a Board of Directors may be chosen who shall remain in office until the next annual meeting, and all other necessary Corporation business transacted.

First meeting—  
how called.

Choice of  
Directors.

## CHAPTER 595.

AN ACT to incorporate the Portland Thread Company.

Approved March 21, 1835.

**SECT. 1.** *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Thomas McLellan, Luke Whitney, S. R. Lyman, Oliver B. Dorrance, Levi Whitney, Charles Rogers, Jr. Noah Nason, Thomas V. Thatcher, and their associates and successors be, and they are hereby constituted a body politic and corporate by the name of the Portland Thread Company, for the purpose of manufacturing yarn, thread, twine and cordage; lace, stockings and cloth of any and every texture they may think expedient, from cotton, flax, hemp, wool and silk, or any other fibrous or wooly substance, that can be converted into yarn or thread for a useful purpose, in the town of Westbrook, in the County of Cumberland. And for this purpose said Corporation may take and hold any real and personal estate not exceeding in the whole at any one time, the value of One Hundred Thousand Dollars, and at pleasure alienate the same, and shall have the powers and privileges, and be subject to the duties and requirements contained in the several Acts defining the general powers and duties of Manufacturing Corporations.

Names of persons  
incorporated.

Corporate name,  
and purposes of  
incorporation.

Amount of real  
and personal es-  
tate.

Part of former act  
repealed.  
Volume 3, chap.  
268, page 197.

**SECT. 2.** *Be it further enacted,* That so much of the proviso of the first section of the Act entitled an Act to exempt from taxation manufacturing companies of cotton,

wool, iron and steel for limited times, approved February the 7th 1825, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the Portland Thread Company is concerned.

## CHAPTER 596.

AN ACT to incorporate the Mariners Bank.

Approved March 21, 1835.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That William M. Boyd, Jotham Parsons, Elisha J. Taylor, Franklin Clark, Wilmot Wood, John Brooks, Henry Clark, Samuel Alley, Patrick Lenox, Nathan Clark Junr., Isaac Lincoln, Gould Hathorn, James Taylor, Barker Neal, John Anderson, John Young, William R. Young, Lincoln Webb, Rufus Hilton, William Stacy, John Thwing, Isaac Thwing, John Stinson, John H. Sheppard, Asa Wilkins, Gardner Gove, P. E. Theobald, Joshua Young, and their associates, successors and assigns be and hereby are made a Corporation by the name of the President, Directors and Company of the Mariners Bank, and shall so continue until the first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and forty seven; *Provided,* That the persons above named, or such of them as may be living when said Bank shall go into operation, shall become Stockholders therein, to the amount of at least fifty per centum of the Capital Stock, and continue to hold that proportion of said stock until the whole Capital named in the second section of this Act, shall have been paid into said Bank.

Names of persons incorporated.

Corporate name, and limitation of charter.

Proviso.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That the capital stock of said Bank shall be Fifty Thousand Dollars in Gold and Silver, divided into shares of One Hundred Dollars each. And said Bank shall be established in the town of Wiscasset in the County of Lincoln.

Amount of Capital Stock, and location of Bank.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted,* That said Corporation shall be entitled to all the powers and privileges, and sub-

Powers, privileges and liabilities.

Volume 3, chap.  
519, page 376.

First meeting,  
how called.

Names of persons  
incorporated.

Corporate name,  
and limitation of  
charter.

Proviso.

Amount of Capital  
Stock, loca-  
tion of Bank, and  
number of Direc-  
tors.

ject to all the liabilities and duties *specified in an Act to regulate Banks and Banking, passed the thirty first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and thirty one.*

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted, That any three of the five persons first above named, may call the first meeting of said Corporation, by an advertisement in any newspaper published in said County of Lincoln, at least ten days before the time of said meeting.*

## CHAPTER 597.

AN ACT to incorporate the Eastern Bank.

Approved March 21, 1835.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled, That James Thomas, Joshua Abbe, John E. Hesseltine, Peter H. Hesseltine, D. M. Bradley, Levi Bradley, Warren Preston, William Bradbury, Cyrus Moore, Mark Trafton, Samuel Veazie, A. M. Roberts, John Hodgdon, William Jameson, with their associates, successors and assigns be and they hereby are incorporated into a Company by the name of the President, Directors and Company of the Eastern Bank, and shall so continue until the first day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty seven—Provided, That the persons above named, or such of them as shall be living at the time when said Corporation shall go into operation shall become stockholders therein to an amount not less than Fifty Thousand Dollars, and continue stockholders as aforesaid, until the whole of said Capital Stock shall have been paid into said Bank.*

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted, That the Capital Stock of said Bank shall consist of One Hundred Thousand Dollars divided into shares of One Hundred Dollars each; and the Bank shall be established in the City of Bangor, and five persons shall constitute a Board of Directors.*



**SECT. 3.** *Be it further enacted,* That said Corporation shall be entitled to all the powers, rights and privileges and be subject to all the requirements and liabilities specified in an Act passed on the thirty first day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty one.

Powers, privileges and liabilities.

Volume 3, chap. 519, page 376.

**SECT. 4.** *Be it further enacted,* That any three of the persons abovenamed may call the first meeting of the corporation by publishing the time and place thereof fourteen days previously in some newspaper printed in Bangor; at which meeting a Board of Directors may be chosen who shall remain in office until the next annual meeting.

Mode of calling first meeting.

Choice of Directors.

## CHAPTER 598.

AN ACT to incorporate the Stillwater Canal Bank.

Approved March 21, 1835.

**SECT. 1.** *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Nathaniel Treat, Samuel Moor, Myrick Emerson, Abel Moor, Henry Sleeper, James G. Lord, James M. Brainerd, Gideon Mayo, Edward R. Southard, Asa W. Babcock, John Bennock, Junr. William Ramsdell, Nathan H. Allen, Temple Emery, and Ard Godfrey, with their associates, successors and assigns, be, and they hereby are created a Corporation by the name of the President, Directors and Company of the Stillwater Canal Bank, and shall so continue until the first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and forty seven, *Provided* that the persons above named, or such of them as shall be living at the time when said Corporation shall go into operation, shall become Stockholders in said Bank, to the amount of at least fifty per centum of its capital stock, and continue to hold that proportion of said stock from the commencement of the operations of the Bank until the whole capital named in the second section of this Act, shall have been paid into said Bank.

Names of persons incorporated.

Corporate name, and limitation of charter.

Proviso.

**SECT. 2.** *Be it further enacted,* That the capital stock of said Bank shall consist of Fifty Thousand Dollars, in gold and silver divided into five hundred shares of One Hundred Dollars each, and said Bank shall be established at Stillwater Village in Orono in the County of Penobscot.

**SECT. 3.** *Be it further enacted,* That said Corporation shall be entitled to all the powers and privileges, and subject to all the liabilities and duties, specified in an Act entitled "An Act to regulate Banks and Banking" passed the thirty first day of March one thousand eight hundred and thirty one.

**SECT. 4.** *Be it further enacted,* That a meeting of the Stockholders shall be annually held on the first Monday of October, at such place as they shall previously direct and at such other times and places as shall be appointed by the Directors for the time being by public notification fourteen days previous. At said annual meetings a Board of Directors shall be chosen by ballot, to continue in office for the ensuing year and until others shall be chosen in their room.

**SECT. 5.** *Be it further enacted,* That the first meeting of said Corporation, may be called by any three of the persons before named, by publishing the time and place thereof fourteen days previously in any newspaper printed in Bangor. And at said meeting a Board of Directors may be chosen, and any other corporation business transacted.

## CHAPTER 599.

AN ACT to increase the Capital Stock of the Bank of Portland.

Approved March 21, 1835.

**SECT. 1.** *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That the President Directors and Company of the Bank of Portland be and they are hereby authorized to increase their Capital Stock by adding thereto the sum of One Hundred Thousand Dollars to be paid in as follows viz—Fifty Thousand Dollars on or

Amount of Capital Stock and location of Bank.

Powers, privileges and liabilities.

Volume 3, chap. 519, page 876.

Meeting of Stockholders to be held annually.

Choice of Directors.

Mode of calling first meeting.

Capital Stock of Bank of Portland increased.

How and when to be paid in.

before the first Monday in October next in shares of One Hundred Dollars each and the remainder in like manner on or before the first Monday in April one thousand eight hundred and thirty six.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That the Directors or a majority of them together with the Cashier of said Bank shall within ten days from the payment of said additional Capital Stock transmit to the Treasurer of the State a certificate under their hands verified by oath specifying upon what day or days the same was paid in—And said additional Capital Stock shall be subject to all the limitations and liabilities and entitled to all the privileges specified in an Act entitled an Act to regulate Banks and Banking passed the thirty first day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty one.

Cashier and Directors to transmit to Treasurer of State certificate, under oath, of payment.

Volume 3, chap. 519, page 376.

## CHAPTER 600.

AN ACT to apportion and assess on the inhabitants of this State a Tax of Fifty Thousand, Three Hundred, Ninety-eight Dollars, Sixty-Six Cents.

Approved March 23, 1835.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled*, That each town, plantation, or other place, hereinafter named, within this State, shall be assessed and pay the several sums with which they respectively stand charged, viz:

### COUNTY OF YORK.

Acton,	One hundred forty one dollars, sixty nine cents,	141 69
Alfred,	Two hundred thirty eight dollars, twenty cents,	238 20
Berwick,	Two hundred four dollars, forty four cents,	204 44
Biddeford,	Three hundred thirty two dollars, ten cents,	332 10
Buxton,	Three hundred forty nine dollars, thirty seven cents,	349 37
Cornish,	One hundred eighteen dollars, thirty four cents,	118 34
Eliot,	One hundred eighty four dollars, twenty one cents,	184 21
Hollis,	Two hundred thirty two dollars, sixty cents,	232 60
Kennebunk,	Three hundred ninety two dollars, thirty three cents,	392 33
Kennebunk Port,	Four hundred sixty two dollars, ten cents,	462 10
Kittery,	One hundred ninety seven dollars, five cents,	197 05
Lebanon,	Two hundred thirty nine dollars, fourteen cents,	239 14
Lyman,	One hundred fifty three dollars, sixty three cents,	153 63
Limerick,	One hundred seventy dollars, thirty three cents,	170 33

Limington,	Two hundred thirty eight dollars, seven cents,	238 07
Newfield,	One hundred thirty three dollars, three cents,	133 03
North Berwick,	Two hundred sixteen dollars, forty cents,	216 40
Parsonsfield,	Three hundred forty dollars, sixty nine cents,	340 69
Saco,	Five hundred eighty dollars, sixty four cents,	580 64
Sanford,	One hundred ninety dollars, thirty two cents,	190 32
Shapleigh,	One hundred thirty seven dollars, six cents,	137 06
South Berwick,	Three hundred sixty two dollars,	362 00
Waterborough,	One hundred forty nine dollars, one cent,	149 01
Wells,	Three hundred eight dollars, sixty three cents,	308 63
York,	Four hundred fifty eight dollars, ninety one cents,	458 91

Six thousand, five hundred, thirty dollars, twenty nine cents, 6530 29

## COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND.

Baldwin,	Ninety four dollars, ninety cents,	94 90
Bridgton,	Three hundred thirty two dollars, ninety cents,	332 90
Brunswick,	Six hundred forty nine dollars, twenty six cents,	649 26
Cape Elizabeth,	One hundred twenty three dollars, fifty five cents,	123 55
Cumberland,	Two hundred fifty one dollars, two cents,	251 02
Danville,	One hundred thirty two dollars, thirty one cents,	132 31
Durham,	One hundred ninety five dollars, thirty eight cents,	195 38
Falmouth,	Two hundred sixty nine dollars, seventy one cents,	269 71
Freeport,	Three hundred thirty seven dollars, seven cents,	337 07
Gorham,	Four hundred ninety nine dollars, fifty one cents,	499 51
Gray,	One hundred seventy nine dollars, seventy six cents,	179 76
Harpsswell,	One hundred ninety three dollars, seventy three cents,	193 73
Harrison,	One hundred fifty six dollars, thirty one cents,	156 31
Minot,	Three hundred ninety one dollars, twenty six cents,	391 26
New Gloucester,	Two hundred eighty three dollars, fifty cents,	283 50
North Yarmouth,	Four hundred seventeen dollars, ninety five cents,	417 95
Otisfield,	One hundred eighty nine dollars,	189 00
Poland,	One hundred ninety five dollars, twenty two cents,	195 22
Portland,	Four thousand, one hundred thirty four dollars, sixty three cents,	4134 63
Pownal,	One hundred eighty two dollars, twenty seven cents,	182 27
Raymond,	One hundred fifty three dollars, seventy three cents,	153 73
Scarborough,	Two hundred ninety eight dollars, forty cents,	298 40
Sebago,	Fifty five dollars, fifty two cents,	55 52
Standish,	Three hundred thirteen dollars, thirty five cents,	313 35
Westbrook,	Five hundred twenty three dollars, sixteen cents,	523 16
Windham,	Two hundred fifty four dollars, eighteen cents,	254 18

Ten thousand, eight hundred, seven dollars, fifty eight cents, 10807 58

## COUNTY OF LINCOLN.

Alna,	One hundred sixty nine dollars,	169 00
Bath,	Six hundred eighty nine dollars, ten cents,	689 10
Boothbay,	One hundred sixty one dollars, eighty nine cents,	161 89
Bowdoin,	One hundred seventy eight dollars, eleven cents,	178 11
Bowdoinham,	Two hundred thirty three dollars, sixty cents,	233 60
Bremen,	Seventy nine dollars, eighty four cents,	79 84
Bristol,	Two hundred sixty six dollars, twenty four cents,	266 24
Cushing,	Sixty three dollars, thirty seven cents,	63 37

STATE TAX.

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Dresden,	One hundred sixty three dollars, seventy seven cents,	163 77
Edgecomb,	Eighty five dollars, seventy seven cents,	85 77
Friendship,	Forty six dollars, seventy six cents,	46 76
Georgetown,	One hundred twenty three dollars, seventy one cents,	123 71
Jefferson,	Two hundred sixteen dollars, thirty nine cents,	216 59
Lewiston,	One hundred seventy four dollars, thirty two cents,	174 32
Lisbon,	Two hundred thirty four dollars, forty five cents,	234 45
Litchfield,	Two hundred six dollars, fifty three cents,	206 53
New Castle,	One hundred ninety two dollars, fifty seven cents,	192 57
Nobleborough,	One hundred eighty seven dollars, ninety four cents,	187 94
Phippsburg,	One hundred eighty nine dollars, sixteen cents,	189 16
Richmond,	One hundred eight dollars, twenty seven cents,	108 27
Saint George,	Seventy eight dollars, seventy six cents,	78 76
Thomaston,	Six hundred two dollars, sixty cents,	602 60
Topsham,	Three hundred twelve dollars, seventy five cents,	312 75
Union,	Two hundred twenty four dollars, sixty five cents,	224 65
Waldoborough,	Three hundred eighty two dollars, eighty five cents,	382 85
Wales,	Seventy two dollars, eighty five cents,	72 85
Warren,	Three hundred forty eight dollars, sixty two cents,	348 62
Washington,	One hundred eighteen dollars, fifty one cents,	118 51
Whitefield,	One hundred eighty four dollars, eighty seven cents,	184 87
Wiscasset,	Three hundred twenty six dollars, fifty five cents,	326 55
Westport,	Forty four dollars, fourteen cents,	44 14
Woolwich,	One hundred eighty five dollars, seventy eight cents,	185 78
Patricktown Planta.	Sixteen dollars, sixty two cents,	16 62

Six thousand, six hundred, seventy dollars, thirty four cents, 6670 34

COUNTY OF HANCOCK.

Aurora,	Nineteen dollars, ninety nine cents,	19 99
Amherst,	Twenty dollars, seventy four cents,	20 74
Bluehill,	Two hundred twenty three dollars, fifty five cents,	223 55
Brooksville,	Seventy one dollars, forty nine cents,	71 49
Bucksport,	Three hundred sixteen dollars, forty one cents,	316 41
Castine,	Two hundred eighty seven dollars, twenty two cents,	287 22
Cranberry Isles,	Forty two dollars, twenty one cents,	42 21
Deer Isle,	One hundred fifty eight dollars, eleven cents,	158 11
Eden,	Seventy seven dollars, twenty seven cents,	77 27
Ellsworth,	Two hundred twenty four dollars, eleven cents,	224 11
Franklin,	Forty six dollars, forty six cents,	46 46
Gouldsborough,	Seventy nine dollars, sixty nine cents,	79 69
Greenfield,	Nine dollars, sixty three cents,	9 63
Hancock,	Sixty six dollars, three cents,	66 03
Mount Desert,	One hundred twenty eight dollars, ninety six cents,	128 96
Orland,	One hundred five dollars, ninety three cents,	105 93
Penobscot,	One hundred twenty three dollars, eighteen cents,	123 18
Sedgwick,	One hundred fifty five dollars, forty four cents,	155 44
Sullivan,	Sixty five dollars, sixty seven cents,	65 67
Surry,	Sixty five dollars,	65 00
Trenton,	Sixty five dollars, thirty seven cents,	65 37
Vinalhaven,	One hundred fourteen dollars, five cents,	114 05
Mariaville Plantation,	Twenty nine dollars, twenty cents,	29 20
Waltham,	Nineteen dollars, twenty one cents,	19 21
No. Eight or Otis,	Twenty six dollars, thirty eight cents,	26 38
Wetmore Isle,	Eighteen dollars, twelve cents,	18 12

Butter Isle,	One dollar, sixty eight cents,	1 68
Eagle Island,	One dollar, twenty six cents,	1 26
Spruce Head and Bear Isle,	Ninety cents,	90
Beach Island,	Fifty cents,	50
Hog Island,	Seventy nine cents,	79
Bradbury Island,	Seventy four cents,	74
Burnt Coal or Swan's Island,	Three dollars, fifty cents,	3 50
Marshall's Island,	Sixty six cents,	66
Matinicus Island,	One dollar, thirty cents,	1 30
Pickerings,	Fifty three cents,	53
No. 7, South Division,	Five dollars, sixty three cents,	5 63
No. 8, South Division,	One dollar, fifty one cents,	1 51
" 10 adjoining Steuben,	Five dollars,	5 00
" 15 Easterbrooks,	Nine dollars, forty five cents,	9 45
" 16 Middle Division,	Seven dollars, two cents,	7 02
" 21 " "	Seven dollars, eighty one cents,	7 81
" 22 " "	Eight Dollars, six cents,	8 06
" 28 " "	Eight Dollars, eighteen cents,	8 18
" 32 " "	Nine dollars, sixty five cents,	9 65
" 33 " "	Nine dollars, fifty three cents,	9 53
" 34 " "	Eight dollars, forty three cents,	8 43
" 39 " "	Six dollars, fifty four cents,	6 54
" 40 " "	Six dollars, fifty nine cents,	6 59
" 1 North Division,	Seven dollars, eighty eight cents,	7 88
" 2 " "	Eight dollars, seventy three cents,	8 73
" 3 " "	Seven dollars, twenty cents,	7 20
Strip North of 1, 2, 3, and 4,	Ten dollars, twenty five cents,	10 25
No. 35, Middle Division,	Eight dollars, thirty seven cents,	8 37
" 41 " "	Nine dollars, four cents,	9 04
" 4 North Division,	Six dollars, ninety cents,	6 90

Two thousand, seven hundred, twenty three dollars, five cents, 2723 05

## COUNTY OF WASHINGTON.

Addison,	Ninety four dollars, three cents,	94 03
Alexander,	Thirty one dollars, sixty two cents,	31 62
Baileyville,	Nine dollars, twelve cents,	9 12
Baring,	Forty two dollars, eighty five cents,	42 85
Beddington,	Six dollars, forty three cents,	6 43
Calais,	Two hundred thirty four dollars, thirty one cents,	234 31 +
Cherryfield,	Sixty seven dollars, seventy one cents,	67 71
Charlotte,	Thirty nine dollars, sixty cents,	39 60
Columbia,	Eighty five dollars, fifty seven cents,	85 57
Cooper,	Thirty five dollars, fifty six cents,	35 56
Crawford,	Twenty one dollars, thirty six cents,	21 36
Cutler,	Forty one dollars, twenty cents,	41 20
Dennysville,	Thirty four dollars, eleven cents,	34 11
Eastport,	Three hundred twenty seven dollars, eighty seven cents,	327 87
East Machias,	One hundred fifty dollars, forty five cents,	150 45
Edmunds,	Twenty eight dollars, five cents,	28 05
Harrington,	One hundred three dollars, thirty nine cents,	103 39
Jonesborough,	Forty one dollars, twenty five cents,	41 25
Jones' Port,	Twenty three dollars, sixty eight cents,	23 68
Lubec,	One hundred fifteen dollars, eighty three cents,	115 83
Machias,	Two hundred one dollars, ninety four cents,	201 94

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Machias Port,	Seventy seven dollars, nine cents,	77 00
Pembroke,	Forty nine dollars, eighty four cents,	49 84
Perry,	Sixty two dollars, thirty two cents,	62 32
Robinstown,	Sixty eight dollars, thirty nine cents,	68 39
Steuben,	Seventy seven dollars,	77 00
Trescott,	Thirty six dollars, seven cents,	36 07
Whiting,	Thirty five dollars, forty four cents,	35 44
Houlton,	Forty dollars, fifty six cents,	40 56
Hodgdon,	Eighteen dollars, twenty one cents,	18 21
Marion,	One dollar, ninety cents,	1 90
New Limerick,	Fifteen dollars,	15 00
Princeton,	Seven dollars,	7 00
Wesley,	Ten dollars, fifty cents,	10 50
Plantation No. 14,	Six dollars, fifty four cents,	6 54
"    "    18,	Three dollars, sixty four cents,	3 64
Township No. 1, 1st Range,	Thirteen dollars, fifty two cents,	13 52
"    "    3, 1st "	Six dollars, forty six cents,	6 46
"    "    3, 2d "	Five dollars, forty six cents,	5 46
"    "    1, " "	Seven dollars, sixty one cents,	7 61
East half No. 6, 1st Range,	Four dollars, three cents,	4 03
West half " 6, 1st "	Five dollars, ninety seven cents,	5 97
South " " 9, 2d "	Four dollars, three cents,	4 03
Residue of No. 9, 2d Range,	Five dollars, twelve cents,	5 12
Part of No. 7, 2d Range, and	Nine dollars, seventy eight cents,	9 78
Part of No. 8, 2d Range,		
Township No. 1, 4th Range,	Five dollars, seventy nine cents,	5 79
"    "    11, " "	One dollar, forty six cents,	1 46
"    "    10, 3d "	Five dollars, fifty two cents,	5 52
"    "    8, " "	Four dollars, fifty seven cents,	4 57
"    "    9, " "	Four dollars, fifty seven cents,	4 57
"    "    9, 4th Range,	Four dollars, ninety five cents,	4 95
Part of Township sold Ed-	Two dollars,	2 00
mund Munroe,		
Township sold Morrill &	Five dollars, twenty three cents,	5 23
Perkins,		
Township granted Williams'	Two dollars, three cents,	2 03
College and sold Gonge		
and others,	Two dollars, one cent,	2 01
1-2 Township granted Belfast		
Academy and sold individuals	Three dollars, fifty five cents,	3 55
Township No. 1, A.	Four dollars, three cents,	4 03
"    "    1,	One dollar, seventy five cents,	1 75
Part of Township granted		
Gen. Eaton,	No. Township.	
Bingham Lands—No. Township.		
No. 17,		
"    23,		
"    18,		
"    24,		
"    25,		
"    29,		
"    30,		
"    31,		
"    36,		
"    37,		
"    42,		
"    43,		

**Bingham Lands—No. Township.**

No. 5,	Four dollars, thirty seven cents,	4 97
" 6,	Four dollars, thirty seven cents,	4 37
Strip North of 5 and 6,	Five dollars, fifty cents,	5 50
No. 19, East Division,	Seven dollars,	7 00
" 21, " "	Five dollars, twenty five cents,	5 25
" 24, " "	Six dollars, twelve cents,	6 12
" 26, " "	Seven dollars,	7 00
" 27, " "	Three dollars, fifty cents,	3 50

Two thousand, four hundred, eighty five dollars, ninety one cents, 2485 91

**COUNTY OF KENNEBEC.**

Albion,	One hundred seventy four dollars, ninety one cents,	174 91
Augusta,	Eight hundred forty two dollars, fifty eight cents,	842 58
Belgrade,	One hundred fifty six dollars, forty six cents,	156 46
China,	Two hundred twenty dollars, forty three cents,	220 43
Chester ville,	One hundred nine dollars, twenty six cents,	109 26
Clinton,	One hundred eighty five dollars, seventy cents,	185 70
Dearborn,	Twenty eight dollars, forty seven cents,	28 47
Farmington,	Three hundred sixty four dollars, thirty five cents,	364 35
Fayette,	One hundred twenty seven dollars, twenty three cents,	127 23
Gardiner,	Six hundred twenty seven dollars, forty seven cents,	627 47
Greene,	One hundred seventy nine dollars, fifty three cents,	179 53
Hallowell,	Eight hundred forty eight dollars, five cents,	848 05
Leeds,	One hundred ninety five dollars, ninety seven cents,	195 97
Monmouth,	Two hundred twenty two dollars, thirty six cents,	222 36
Mount Vernon,	One hundred ninety three dollars, forty six cents,	193 46
New Sharon,	Two hundred fifteen dollars, eighty two cents,	215 82
Pittston,	Two hundred forty five dollars, ninety nine cents,	245 99
Readfield,	Two hundred eighty seven dollars, sixty two cents,	287 62
Rome,	Forty dollars, eight cents,	40 08
Sidney,	Three hundred dollars, sixty one cents,	300 61
Temple,	Sixty four dollars, sixty three cents,	64 63
Vassalborough,	Four hundred thirty six dollars, forty six cents,	436 46
Vienna,	Ninety seven dollars, sixty seven cents,	97 67
Waterville,	Four hundred sixty three dollars, sixteen cents,	463 16
Wayne,	One hundred thirty two dollars, thirteen cents,	132 13
Wilton,	One hundred sixty two dollars, seventy three cents,	162 73
Windsor,	One hundred thirty one dollars, ninety one cents,	131 91
Winslow,	One hundred fifty eight dollars, sixty one cents,	158 61
Winthrop,	Three hundred fifteen dollars, seventy four cents,	315 74

Seven thousand, five hundred, twenty nine dollars, thirty nine cents, 7529 39

**COUNTY OF OXFORD.**

Andover,	Fifty dollars, fifty one cents,	50 51
Albany,	Forty six dollars, sixty two cents,	46 62
Berlin,	Thirty three dollars, twenty seven cents,	33 27
Bethel,	One hundred eighty four dollars, fourteen cents,	184 14
Brownfield,	One hundred dollars, forty five cents,	100 45
Buckfield,	One hundred ninety dollars, six cents,	190 06
Byron,	Twelve dollars, fifty three cents,	12 53
Canton,	Ninety six dollars, twenty nine cents,	96 29
Carthage,	Twenty three dollars, fifty five cents,	23 55



## STATE TAX.

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Denmark,	Eighty nine dollars, eighty four cents,	89 84
Dixfield,	Eighty six dollars, twenty seven cents,	86 27
Fryeburg,	One hundred sixty nine dollars, eighty eight cents,	169 88
Gilead,	Twenty five dollars, forty seven cents,	25 47
Greenwood,	Twenty nine dollars, sixty nine cents,	29 69
Hartford,	One hundred twenty five dollars, eighty cents,	125 80
Hebron,	One hundred eight dollars, ninety two cents,	108 92
Hiram,	Eighty five dollars, fifty seven cents,	85 57
Jay,	One hundred sixty four dollars, fifty six cents,	164 56
Lovel,	Sixty seven dollars, ninety cents,	67 90
Livermore,	Three hundred fifty six dollars, thirty five cents,	356 35
Mexico,	Twenty two dollars, five cents,	22 05
Norway,	Two hundred fifty dollars, eighty six cents,	250 86
Newry,	Twenty four dollars, seventy cents,	24 70
Oxford,	One hundred twenty five dollars, ninety seven cents,	125 97
Paris,	Two hundred eighty one dollars, sixty cents,	281 60
Porter,	Sixty three dollars, fifty four cents,	63 54
Peru,	Thirty five dollars, ninety cents,	35 90
Rumford,	One hundred sixty two dollars, forty six cents,	162 46
Stoneham,	Fifteen dollars, eighty seven cents,	15 87
Stow,	Twenty two dollars, fifty cents,	22 50
Sumner,	One hundred eighteen dollars, fifty six cents,	118 56
Sweden,	Fifty four dollars, twenty cents,	54 20
Turner,	Two hundred eighty three dollars, forty nine cents,	283 49
Waterford,	Two hundred two dollars, ninety seven cents,	202 97
Weld,	Fifty six dollars,	56 00
Woodstock,	Thirty six dollars, eighty nine cents,	36 89
Howard's Gore,	Eight dollars, twenty seven cents,	8 27
No. 5, 2nd Range,	Two dollars, nineteen cents,	2 19
Township D to J.		
Gardner,	One dollar, forty four cents,	1 44
Township E to J.		
Cummings,	One dollar, eighty cents,	1 80
No. 1, letter A.	Five dollars, ninety four cents,	5 94
" 2, letter A.	Five dollars, ninety nine cents,	5 99
" 2, 1st Range,	One dollar, fifty five cents,	1 55
" 3, " "	Three dollars, nine cents,	3 09
" 4, 3d "	One dollar, eighty four cents,	1 84
" 5, " "	Two dollars,	2 00
" 2, " "	Two dollars, ninety four cents,	2 94
" 4, 4th "	Two dollars, forty two cents,	2 42
" 2, 2d "	Two dollars, eighty two cents,	2 82
" 3, 3d "	One dollar, eighty four cents,	1 84
Letter C. adjoining B.	One dollar, eighty four cents,	1 84
Letter B.	Six dollars, seventy two cents,	6 72
No. 5, 4th Range,	Two dollars, forty six cents,	2 46
Township No. 7,	Two dollars, nine cents,	2 09
Andover Surplus, West,	Two dollars, forty six cents,	2 46
Andover Surplus, North,	One dollar, sixty eight cents,	1 68
Hamlin's Grant,	Two dollars, thirty nine cents,	2 39
Township No. 1,	Fourteen dollars, sixty seven cents,	14 67
Chandler's Gore,	One dollar, thirteen cents,	1 13

Five sixths of No. 3, 2d range, owned by Jas. Rangley,	Ten dollars, ninety five cents,	10 95
One sixth of do. owned by Jacob A. Townsend,	Two dollars, nineteen cents,	2 19
Township 2,	Four dollars, seventy cents,	4 70
Part Township 6,	One dollar, twenty three cents,	1 23
Surplus of C.,	One dollar, twenty eight cents,	1 28
No. 5, 1st Range,	Four dollars, forty five cents,	4 45
No. 4, 2nd "	Two dollars, thirty two cents,	2 32
North half No. 1, 3d Range,	Two dollars, two cents,	2 02
South half No. 1, 4th "	Two dollars, forty two cents,	2 42
North half No. 1, 4th "	Two dollars, thirty two cents,	2 32
One half No. 5, 5th "	One dollar, fifty five cents,	1 55
One fourth No. 5, 5th "	Eighty one cents,	81
One twelfth No. 1, 6th "	Thirty two cents,	32
Seven Twelfths No. 1.	Three dollars, fifty four cents,	3 54
North half No. 2, 4th Range,	One dollar, twenty one cents,	1 21
Township No. 4, 1st, "	Two dollars, fourteen cents,	2 14

Three thousand, nine hundred, twenty eight dollars, twenty five cents, 3928 25

## COUNTY OF PENOBSCOT.

Atkinson,	Forty six dollars, fifty eight cents,	46 58
Bangor,	Seven hundred nine dollars, ninety two cents,	709 92
Barnard,	Twelve dollars, five cents,	12 05
Brewer,	One hundred thirty four dollars, forty nine cents,	134 49
Brownville,	Forty two dollars, thirty nine cents,	42 39
Carmel,	Forty six dollars, ninety nine cents,	46 99
Charleston,	Seventy nine dollars, ninety cents,	79 90
Corinna,	Fifty nine dollars, eighty seven cents,	59 87
Corinth,	Sixty eight dollars, eighteen cents,	68 18
Dexter,	Seventy five dollars, ninety four cents,	75 94
Dixmont,	One hundred dollars, eight cents,	100 08
Dover,	Sixty four dollars, sixty three cents,	64 63
Dutton,	Forty three dollars, eighty five cents,	43 85
Eddington,	Fifty one dollars, seventy five cents,	51 75
Etna,	Thirty eight dollars, eight cents,	38 08
Exeter,	One hundred six dollars, thirty eight cents,	106 38
Foxcroft,	Fifty nine dollars, ninety eight cents,	59 98
Garland,	Seventy one dollars, twenty eight cents,	71 28
Guilford,	Fifty two dollars, seventy seven cents,	52 77
Hampden,	Two hundred sixty eight dollars, sixty nine cents,	268 69
Hermion,	Fifty one dollars, eighty cents,	51 80
Howland,	Twenty five dollars, sixty three cents,	25 63
Kirkland,	Twenty one dollars, sixty nine cents,	21 69
Kilmarnock,	Thirteen dollars, ninety nine cents,	13 99
Levant,	Fifty five dollars, sixty six cents,	55 66
Lincoln,	Twenty four dollars, thirty one cents,	24 31
Lagrange,	Seven dollars, forty one cents,	7 41
Lee,	Three dollars, eighty six cents,	3 86
Milton,	Eight dollars, eighty seven cents,	8 87
Maxfield,	Seven dollars, thirty six cents,	7 36
Milo,	Twenty nine dollars, fifty four cents,	29 54
Newberg,	Sixty seven dollars, seventy cents,	67 70

# STATE TAX.

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Newport,	Ninety dollars, seventy six cents,	90 76
Orono,	One hundred fifty nine dollars, thirty one cents,	159 31
Orrington,	One hundred thirty four dollars, thirty two cents,	134 32
Plymouth,	Thirty one dollars, eighty seven cents,	31 87
Sangersville,	Sixty eight dollars, thirty five cents,	68 35
Sebec,	Sixty eight dollars, fifty cents,	68 50
Williamsburg,	Ten dollars, twenty seven cents,	10 27
Bradford,	Twenty eight dollars, seven cents,	28 07
Milford,	Forty eight dollars, seventy one cents,	48 71
Stetson,	Fifty nine dollars, seventy two cents,	59 72
Springfield,	Three dollars, twenty two cents,	3 22
No. 4. East of the River,	Nine dollars, ninety four cents,	9 94
Argyle,	Two dollars, seventy six cents,	2 76
Township No. 3, 3d range, W. from the E. line of the State,	Six dollars, thirty five cents,	6 35
W. half of Township No. 6, 2d R., N. Bingham Purchase,	Three dollars, twenty two cents,	3 22
Central part of No. 1, 4th R. W. of E. line of the State, being the Grant to N. Yarmouth Academy,	Five dollars, twenty four cents,	5 24
Township No. 1, 11th R. W. of E. line of the State,	Five dollars, one cent,	5 01
Township B. 11th R. W. of E. line of the State,	Nine dollars, one cent,	9 01
Township No. 6, 7th R. W. of E. line of the State,	Five dollars, twenty four cents,	5 24
North half of No. 1, 6th R. W. of E. line of the State,	Three dollars, eighty four cents,	3 84
Township A. 11th R. W. of E. line of the State,	Six dollars, seventeen cents,	6 17
Township No. 1, 9th R. W. of E. line of the State,	Five dollars, ninety three cents,	5 93
N. part of Township No. 4, 3d R. W. of E. line of the State,	Three dollars, twenty one cents,	3 21
N. part of Township No. 3, 7th R. W. of E. line of the State,	Three dollars, twenty five cents,	3 25
N. part of Township No. 5, 4th R. W. of E. line of the State,	Two dollars, forty two cents,	2 42
N. and S. parts of Township No. 1, 4th R. W. from E. line of the State, being all said Township, excepting North Yarmouth Academy Grant,	Twelve dollars, seventy three cents,	12 73
Township 1, 7th R. W. from E. line of the State,	Seven dollars, eighteen cents,	7 18
S. half of Township No. 1, 6th R. W. from E. line of the State.	Three dollars, eighty six cents,	3 86
Tract Z,	Fifty nine cents,	59
Esfeld,	One dollar, seventy five cents,	1 75
Part of Township No. 6, 4th R. N. of Bingham Purchase, granted to Duck Trap Bridge Corporation.	Two dollars, two cents,	2 02

Township No. 3, 1st R. N. of Bingham Purchase,	Seven dollars, twenty two cents,	7 22
Township No. 2, 6th R. W. from E. line of the State,	Six dollars, forty six cents,	6 46
S. half Township A. 6th R. W. from E. line of the State,	Two dollars, eighty six cents,	2 86

### GRANTS FROM MASSACHUSETTS.

Part of No. 4,	Eighty cents,	80
Part of No. 2, 8th R. N. of Waldo Patent,	One dollar, seventy four cents,	1 74
Hopkins Academy Grant adjoining to Township		
A. 7th R. W. from E. line of the State,	Two dollars, fifty three cents,	2 53
River Township No. 4, 4th R. N. of Bingham		
Purchase,	Fourteen dollars, forty six cents,	14 46
Township No. 7, 3d R. N. of Bingham Purchase,	Seven dollars, seventy two cents,	7 72
" " " 7, 4th " " " " " "	Seven dollars, seventy two cents,	7 72
" " " 2, 8th " " " Waldo Patent,	Four dollars, eighty four cents,	4 84
Township No. 1, 5th R. W. from E. line of the State,	Three dollars, nine cents,	3 09
S. half Township No. 6, 9th R. N. of Waldo Patent,	Three dollars, nine cents,	3 09
N. half Township No. 6, 9th R. N. of Waldo Patent,	One dollar, fifty four cents,	1 54
S. 1-3d Township No. 1, 12th R. W. from E. line		
of the State,	Two dollars, six cents,	2 06
1-3 of Township No. 2, 9th R. N. of Waldo Patent,	Three dollars, ninety cents,	3 90
Township No. 1, Old Indian Purchase, W. side of		
Penobscot River,	Six dollars, nine cents,	6 09
Township No. 4, 8th R. N. Waldo Patent,	Four dollars, sixty three cents,	4 63
Part of Township No. 6, 4th R. N. Bingham Purchase, being all of said Township excepting the		
grant to Duck Trap Bridge Corporation,	Four dollars, eighty four cents,	4 84
E. half of Township No. 2, 8th R. N. Waldo Patent,	Three dollars, eighty six cents,	3 86
Township No. 6, 3d R. N. of Bingham Purchase,	Six dollars, forty five cents,	6 45
All that part of Jarvis' Gore not included in any		
incorporated town,	Five dollars, ninety five cents,	5 95
Township No. 7, 8th R. N. of Waldo Patent,	Two dollars, twenty one cents,	2 21
" " " 5, 9th " " " " " "	Four dollars, eighty four cents,	4 84
Madawaska,	Ten dollars,	10 00

**Three thousand, three hundred, seventy three dollars, thirty four cents, 3373 34**

**COUNTY OF SOMERSET.**

Abbot,	Fifteen dollars, thirty eight cents,	15 38
Anson,	One hundred seventy seven dollars, ten cents,	177 10
Athens,	One hundred fifty one dollars, ninety five cents,	151 95
Avon,	Sixty one dollars, two cents,	61 02
Bingham,	Thirty six dollars, eighty three cents,	36 83
Brighton,	Forty seven dollars, four cents,	47 04
Bloomfield,	One hundred forty nine dollars, six cents,	149 06
Blanchard,	Eight dollars, one cent,	8 01
Cambridge,	Fourteen dollars, thirty four cents,	14 34
Canaan,	One hundred dollars, eighty five cents,	100 85
Cornville,	One hundred eight dollars, fifty eight cents,	108 58
Concord,	Thirty dollars, thirteen cents,	30 13
Chandlerville,	Fourteen dollars, fifty nine cents,	14 59
Emden,	Eighty two dollars, sixty one cents,	82 62
Fairfield,	Two hundred thirty one dollars, seven cents,	231 07
Freeman,	Fifty seven dollars, sixty five cents,	57 65
Harmony,	Seventy three dollars, fifty cents,	73 50
Hartland,	Forty four dollars, ninety two cents,	44 92
Industry,	Ninety dollars, eighty cents,	90 80
Kingfield,	Forty dollars, sixty three cents,	40 63

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Madison,	One hundred thirty six dollars, eighty one cents,	136 81
Mercer,	Ninety nine dollars, fifty seven cents,	99 57
Milburn,	One hundred fifty five dollars, eight cents,	155 08
Moscow,	Thirty one dollars, thirty three cents,	31 33
Monson,	Thirty two dollars, eighty three cents,	32 83
New Portland,	One hundred eight dollars, thirty cents,	108 30
New Vineyard,	Seventy four dollars, twenty two cents,	74 22
Norridgewock,	Two hundred eighteen dollars, ten cents,	218 10
Salem,	Twenty three dollars, thirty cents,	23 30
Palmyra,	Seventy six dollars, eleven cents,	76 11
Parkman,	Fifty nine dollars, thirty six cents,	59 36
Phillips,	Seventy one dollars, ninety four cents,	71 94
Pittsfield,	Thirty three dollars, eighty cents,	33 80
Ripley,	Twenty eight dollars, sixty nine cents,	28 69
Shirley,	Eight dollars, thirty seven cents,	8 37
Solon,	Eighty two dollars, forty cents,	82 40
St. Albans,	Sixty eight dollars, eighty five cents,	68 85
Starks,	One hundred six dollars, ninety nine cents,	106 99
Strong,	One hundred four dollars, nineteen cents,	104 19
Wellington,	Twenty nine dollars, twenty five cents,	29 25
Lexington,	Fourteen dollars, fifty six cents,	14 56
No. 1, 2d Range,	Seven dollars, twenty nine cents,	7 29
No. 9, 9th "	Seven dollars, twenty one cents,	7 21
East Pond Plantation,	Seventeen dollars, eighty nine cents,	17 89
B. No. 2, 2d R. on		
Bing'm Purchase W. }	Three dollars, fifty cents,	3 50
of Kennebec River,		
No. 3, 2d Range,	One dollar, seventy five cents,	1 75
" 4, 2d "	One dollar, seventy five cents,	1 75
" 1, 3d "	One dollar, sixty cents,	1 60
" 2, 3d "	Three dollars, eight cents,	3 08
" 3, 3d "	Three dollars, fifty two cents,	3 52
" 4, 3d "	Three dollars, thirty six cents,	3 36
" 1, 4th "	Two dollars, thirty five cents,	2 35
" 2, 4th "	Nine dollars, twenty one cents,	9 21
" 3, 4th "	Four dollars, thirty nine cents,	4 39
" 4, 4th "	Four dollars, forty eight cents,	4 48
" 1, 5th "	Fourteen dollars, eighty six cents,	14 86
" 2, 5th "	Eight dollars, nine cents,	8 09
" 3, 5th "	Seven dollars,	7 00
" 4, 5th "	Eight dollars, seventy five cents,	8 75
" 1, 6th "	Ten dollars, fifty two cents,	10 52
" 2, 6th "	Two dollars, fifty cents,	2 50
" 3, 6th "	One dollar, fifty three cents,	1 53
" 4, 6th "	One dollar, forty nine cents,	1 49
" 5, 6th "	One dollar, forty nine cents,	1 49
" 1, 7th "	Seven dollars, fifty four cents,	7 54
" 2, 7th "	One dollar, seventy five cents,	1 75
" 3, 7th "	One dollar, seventy five cents,	1 75
" 4, 7th "	One dollar, seventy five cents,	1 75
" 5, 7th "	Eighty seven cents,	87
" 6, 7th "	Eighty seven cents,	87
No 2, 2d Range E. of }	Five dollars, twenty five cents,	5 25
Kennebec River,		
No. 3, 2d Range,	Four dollars, eighty one cents,	4 81
" 1, 3d "	Two dollars, seventy cents,	2 70

No. 2, 3d Range,	One dollar, seventy five cents,	1 75
" 1, 4th "	Two dollars, sixty two cents,	2 62
" 2, 4th "	Seven dollars,	7 00
" 1, 5th "	Eight dollars, seventy five cents,	8 75
" 2, 5th "	Four dollars, ninety three cents,	4 93
" 3, 5th "	Two dollars, eighty five cents,	2 85
" 1, 6th "	One dollar, seventy five cents,	1 75
" 2, 6th "	Two dollars, forty five cents,	2 45
No. 8, 8th Range, N. of the Waldo Patent,	Three dollars, eighty cents,	3 80
Elliotville,	Four dollars, thirty seven cents,	4 37
Haskell's Plantation,	Six dollars, twelve cents,	6 12
No. 3, 14th Range, W. of the Monument,	Four dollars, fifteen cents,	4 15
S. 1-2 1, 14th Range, Little Town,	Five dollars, seventy seven cents,	5 77
A. No. 1, 14th Range,	Eight dollars, seventy five cents,	8 75
" " 2, 14th "	Three dollars, fifty cents,	3 50
" " 2, 13th "	Four dollars, thirty seven cents,	4 37
" " A. 13th "	Three dollars, eighty cents,	3 80
No. 1, 1st Range, N. of Bingham's Purchase,	Two dollars, eighty cents,	2 80
No. 2, 1st Range,	One dollar, seventy five cents,	1 75
" 5, 1st "	Three dollars, fifty cents,	3 50
" 1, 2d " Boyd's,	Five dollars, twenty five cents,	5 25
" 2, 2d " Dole's,	Seven dollars,	7 00
" 4, 2d " Soldiers',	One dollar, seventy five cents,	1 75
" 5, 2d " Brown's,	Three dollars, fifty cents,	3 50
" 5, 3d " Sandy Bay,	One dollar, seventy five cents,	1 75
" 1, 4th " Plymouth,	One dollar, seventy five cents,	1 75
1-3 No. 3, 4th Range, Pittston,	Eighty seven [cents,]	87
Seboomock,	Two dollars, sixty two cents,	2 62

Three thousand, three hundred, sixty four dollars, twenty eight cents, 3364 28

## COUNTY OF WALDO.

Appleton,	Fifty two dollars, seventy nine cents,	52 79
Belfast,	Five hundred one dollars, twenty one cents,	501 21
Belmont,	Seventy one dollars, eleven cents,	71 11
Brooks,	Forty six dollars, fourteen cents,	46 14
Burnham,	Thirty two dollars, forty two cents,	32 42
Camden,	Two hundred forty three dollars, twenty five cents,	243 25
Frankfort,	Two hundred seventy one dollars, seventy two cents,	271 72
Freedom,	Seventy two dollars, twenty three cents,	72 23
Hope,	One hundred forty seven dollars, eighteen cents,	147 18
Islesborough,	Sixty dollars, fifty two cents,	60 52
Jackson,	Fifty nine dollars, forty two cents,	59 42
Knox,	Seventy seven dollars, forty four cents,	77 44
Lincolnton,	One hundred fifty six dollars, sixty cents,	156 60
Liberty,	Forty dollars, eighty one cents,	40 81
Montville,	One hundred sixty three dollars, fifty one cents,	163 51
Mourne,	Eighty five dollars, eighty six cents,	85 86
Northport,	Ninety two dollars, seventy nine cents,	92 79
Prospect,	Two hundred fifty nine dollars, ninety one cents,	259 91
Palermo,	One hundred two dollars, fifty two cents,	102 52
Searsmont,	One hundred one dollars, eighteen cents,	101 18
Swanville,	Forty six dollars, forty two cents,	46 42
Theridike,	Eighty one dollars, ninety two cents,	81 92

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<b>Troy,</b>	<b>Sixty one dollars,</b>	<b>61 00</b>
<b>Unity,</b>	<b>One hundred twenty six dollars, nine cents,</b>	<b>126 09</b>
<b>Waldo,</b>	<b>Thirty two dollars, nineteen cents,</b>	<b>32 19</b>
<b>Two thousand, nine hundred, eighty six dollars, twenty three cents,</b>		<b><u>2986 23</u></b>

## Counties.

## RECAPITULATION.

<b>York,</b>	<b>Six thousand, five hundred, thirty dollars, twenty nine cents,</b>	<b>6530 29</b>
<b>Cumberland,</b>	<b>Ten thousand, eight hundred, seven dollars, fifty eight cents,</b>	<b>10807 58</b>
<b>Lincoln,</b>	<b>Six thousand, six hundred, seventy dollars, thirty four cents,</b>	<b>6670 34</b>
<b>Hancock,</b>	<b>Two thousand, seven hundred, twenty three dollars, five cents,</b>	<b>2723 05</b>
<b>Washington,</b>	<b>Two thousand, four hundred, eighty five dollars, ninety one cents,</b>	<b>2485 91</b>
<b>Kennebec,</b>	<b>Seven thousand, five hundred, twenty nine dollars, thirty nine cents,</b>	<b>7529 39</b>
<b>Oxford,</b>	<b>Three thousand, nine hundred, twenty eight dollars, twenty five cents,</b>	<b>3928 25</b>
<b>Penobscot,</b>	<b>Three thousand, three hundred, seventy three dollars, thirty four cents,</b>	<b>3373 34</b>
<b>Somerset,</b>	<b>Three thousand, three hundred, sixty four dollars, twenty eight cents,</b>	<b>3364 28</b>
<b>Waldo,</b>	<b>Two thousand, nine hundred, eighty six dollars, twenty three cents,</b>	<b>2986 23</b>
<b>Fifty thousand, three hundred, ninety eight dollars, sixty six cents,</b>		<b><u>50398 66</u></b>

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That the Treasurer of the State, shall forthwith send his warrant, directed to the Selectmen or Assessors of each town, plantation or other place, taxed as aforesaid, requiring them respectively to assess the sum, so charged, in manner following, viz: To each male poll above the age of twenty one years, within their respective towns and plantations, seventeen cents, provided the same shall not exceed one sixth part of the whole sum to be assessed; and if, at seventeen cents on the poll, the poll tax shall exceed one sixth part of the sum to be assessed, the poll tax shall be so reduced, as not to exceed one sixth part of such tax, but shall be made as nearly equal as may be, to said sixth part of the whole; and if, by the above rules, the proportion of the State, County, and Town or Plantation taxes, exclusive of highway taxes, to be paid by the polls, shall, in any town or plantation, exceed two dollars on each poll, it shall be reduced so as to make that sum; and the highway taxes in such town or plantation shall be assessed in the same proportion and the residue of such sum charged, as aforesaid, to each town, plantation, or other place, respectively, to assess upon the respective inhabitants thereof, according to the value of the real estate therein owned or possessed, by each of them, on the first day of May next, either in his

Treasurer to issue his warrant to Assessors of each town, &c.

Poll Tax.

Property to be taxed.

own right or the right of others, improved or not improved, (except pews in houses of public worship) or upon the owners of real estate in such town, plantation, or other place, whether such owner resides in the same or not, on the first day of May, according to the just value thereof; and upon non-resident proprietors of real estates, lying within such town, plantation, or other place, in their own right, or the right of others, improved or not improved; and also on all the inhabitants of such town, plantation, or other place, and all other persons possessing estates within the same, on the first day of May, according to the proportion of the amount of their respective personal estates, including all moneys at interest more than they pay interest for, and all debts due to them more than they are indebted for; moneys of all kinds on hand; public securities of all sorts; all bank stock, and shares (or property) in any incorporated company for a bridge or turnpike road, or shares in any other incorporated company possessing taxable property, according to the just value thereof; and also the amount of all goods, wares, and merchandize, or any stock in trade, including stock employed in manufactories, not exempted by law; vessels of all kinds, whether at home or abroad, with all their stores and appurtenances; and all pleasure carriages drawn by one or more horses; mules, horses, and neat cattle, each of one year old and upwards, and swine six months old and upwards; and also the amount of income of such inhabitants from any profession, employment, or by any annuity, or legacy, or other source, or gained by trading at sea or on land, and all other property of the several kinds returned in the last valuation for the purpose of taxation; excepting sheep, to the number of not exceeding forty owned by any one person, household furniture, wearing apparel, farming utensils, tools of mechanics necessary for carrying on their business, and also the machinery in cotton and woollen manufactories; but carding machines used for the purpose of carding rolls from sheep's wool, whether attached to such manufactories or not, shall not, by this exception, be considered as exempted from taxation.



**SECT. 3.** *Be it further enacted,* That every freeholder or tenant, who, by virtue of this act, may be assessed, and shall pay any sum for real estate in his possession, may require his landlord, the owner, or agent of such estate, to reimburse the half of such sum, unless it be otherwise provided for by an agreement between them. And every owner of horses, mules, or neat cattle, shall be taxed therefor, in the town, plantation, or other place, wherein he may be an inhabitant, on the first day of May, notwithstanding any of said creatures may have been sent to some other place for keeping before that time.

Tenant may require his landlord to reimburse half the tax unless.

Horses, &c. to be taxed where owner resides.

**SECT. 4.** *Be it further enacted,* That the Treasurer, in his said warrant, shall require the said Selectmen or Assessors, respectively to make a fair list or lists, of their assessments, setting forth in distinct columns against each person's name, how much he or she is assessed for polls, and for real and personal estate and income as aforesaid; distinguishing any sum assessed on such person as guardian, or for any estate in his or her possession in trust, and also insert in such list, the number of acres of unimproved land, which they may have taxed on each non-resident proprietor of lands, and the value at which they may have estimated the same; and such list, or lists, when completed and signed by them, or the major part of them, to commit to the collector or collectors, constable or constables, of such town, plantation, or other places, respectively, with a warrant or warrants, in due form of law, requiring them to collect and pay the same to the said Treasurer, on or before the first day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty six, and also to return a certificate of the names of such collector or collectors, constable or constables, with the sum total which they may be so required to collect, to the said Treasurer, some time before the first day of December next.

Selectmen to make out lists of assessments:

—and commit them to collectors with warrants:

—and return certificates thereof to Treasurer.

**SECT. 5.** *Be it further enacted,* That all goods, wares, and merchandize, or other stock in trade, including stock employed in manufactories, ships or vessels, shall be taxed in the town, plantation or other place where they are sold,

Goods, &c. to be taxed in town where sold.

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used or unimproved, notwithstanding the owner or owners may reside in some other place; *Provided*, Such person or persons do hire a shop, store or wharf in such town, plantation, or other place, and not where they dwell, or have their home; and they shall be respectively held to deliver on oath or affirmation, if required, a list of their whole taxable estates to the Assessors of the town, plantation, or other place where they may dwell, on the said first day of May, distinguishing what part thereof is taxable elsewhere, and in default thereof, they may be doomed by said Assessors;

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*Provided however*, That this clause shall in no case be so construed, as to enable the Assessors of any town, plantation, or other place, to assess an inhabitant of any other town, plantation, or other place, for any other property charged thereon in the last valuation: *Provided also*, That logs, boards, and lumber at saw mills, shall not be taken to

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be stock employed in manufactories: *Provided however*, That all ships and vessels shall be liable to be taxed in the town, plantation, or other place, to which the same were charged, in the valuation of this year, so long as the owner thereof shall remain an inhabitant of such town, plantation, or other place, and shall own such property.

Further proviso.

SECT. 6. *Be it further enacted*, That all property and estate belonging to any literary or charitable institution shall be exempted from assessment and taxation, and no person shall be taxed in any town, on account, or by reason of his residing there as a student in any literary seminary; but students shall be taxed in the towns where they have their established residence; and that Indians shall not be assessed and taxed for their polls and estates. And if

Property of literary and charitable institutions exempt from taxation.

Abatements.

there be any persons, who, by reason of their poverty, age, or bodily infirmity, may be unable to contribute towards the public charges, in the judgment of the said Assessors, they may exempt the polls and estates of such persons, or abate any part of the sum which they are assessed at, as the said Assessors may think just and equitable. And inhabitants of Islands, on which there are no

Inhabitants of islands.

highways, may be omitted in any highway tax, at the discretion of the town to which they belong.

lands exempt from road tax.

SECT. 7. *Be it further enacted*, That the County Commissioners, in their respective counties, when duly authorized to assess a County tax, shall apportion the same on the several towns, plantations, and other places therein, according to the proportion at which they are rated in this Act. And in the assessment of all county, town, plantation, parish or society taxes, the Assessors of each town, parish, society, plantation or other place, within this State, shall govern themselves by the same rules, and assess the polls therein in the proportion as they may be assessed, to pay a State tax by virtue of this Act, having regard to all such alterations of polls and property as may happen within the same subsequent to the assessment of the tax made by this Act, excepting such parishes and societies, for which a different provision for assessing their taxes, is made by law: *Provided always*, That it shall be lawful for any town, parish, society, or plantation to make, levy and collect any county, town, parish, society, or plantation tax, according to a new valuation, and for that purpose to cause a new valuation to be taken therein, at any time of the year which may be determined upon, at a legal meeting to be warned for that purpose.

County taxes to be apportioned on towns according to the proportion at which they are rated in this act.

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SECT. 8. *Be it further enacted*, That the Assessors shall make their several rate lists, to be committed to the collectors or constables in such form, in substance, as shall be prescribed by the Treasurer of the State, when he transmits his warrants to the several towns and plantations as herein directed.

Treasurer to prescribe form of lists.

## CHAPTER 601.

AN ACT to incorporate the Proprietors of South Thomaston Parsonage House.

Approved March 23, 1835.

**SECT. 1.** *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That James Spaulding, Samuel Dean, Leverett Gray, Thomas Hix, Ephraim Dean, Charles Dyer, John Emery, George Emery Jun. and Jesse Sleeper, with their associates, successors and assigns, be, and hereby are created a body politic, by the name of the South Thomaston Parsonage House Company, with power to sue and be sued, to have a common seal, to make by-laws, and regulations for the proper management of their affairs not repugnant to the laws of the State, to choose all necessary officers, to take and hold real and personal estate to an amount not exceeding three thousand dollars, and to exercise all powers and privileges incident to similar corporations.

**SECT. 2.** *Be it further enacted,* That any two of the persons named in this Act are authorized to call the first meeting of the Corporation by giving written notice to all the persons named in this Act, seven days previous to the time of said meeting.

## CHAPTER 602.

AN ACT to incorporate the third Parish in Bath.

Approved March 23, 1835.

**SECT. 1.** *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Wm. M. Rogers, Jacob Robinson, Levi Houghton and Samuel G. Bowman and such others as may be associated with them for the purpose of providing a House of Public Worship in the town of Bath in the County of Lincoln, are incorporated

into a Religious Society by the name of the Third Parish Corporate name.  
in Bath with the powers and privileges usually incident to  
such corporations.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That when said Parish Proprietors of  
said house to be  
members of the  
Parish.  
shall have provided a House of Worship as aforesaid the  
proprietors of said House shall be the sole members of said  
Parish—and any person becoming a proprietor as aforesaid  
shall thereby become a member of said Parish, and any  
such member shall cease to be such when he shall cease to  
be a proprietor as aforesaid.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted*, That all sums raised by Sums raised for  
support of minis-  
try, &c. to be  
assessed on the  
pews.  
said Parish for the support of the Ministry, repairs of said  
House or incidental expenses, shall be assessed on the pews  
in said House, and if the taxes so assessed shall not be  
paid within six months from the assessment thereof, the  
Treasurer of said Parish shall proceed to sell the pews on  
which such taxes shall be so unpaid in the same manner as  
is provided in the sixth section of an Act concerning Par-  
ishes passed March thirteenth in the year of our Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and twenty one.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted*, That any three of said Pews may be sold  
if taxes are not  
paid.  
Corporators may call the first meeting of said Parish by  
notice thereof posted up at the Post Office in Bath, seven  
days before the time appointed for said meeting. Volume 2, chap.  
135, page 509.

## CHAPTER 603.

AN ACT regulating the Storage, safe keeping and transportation of Gun-  
powder in the City of Bangor.

Approved March 23, 1835.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Repre-  
sentatives, in Legislature assembled*, That no person, except No persons to  
have more than a  
certain quantity  
of powder in cit-  
ies of Bangor, un-  
less, &c.  
on military duty in the public service of the United States,  
or of this State, shall keep have or possess, in any build-  
ing, or in any place, or in any carriage, or on any wharf, or  
on board of any ship or other vessel, within two hundred

Gunpowder in certain cases for-  
feited.

yards of any wharf, in the City of Bangor, or in said City, Gunpowder in any quantity exceeding one pound, in any way or manner, other than by this Act, and by the rules and regulations hereinafter mentioned, may be permitted and allowed. And all Gunpowder had, kept or possessed, contrary to the provisions of this Act, and of such rules and regulations, shall be forfeited, and liable to be seized and proceeded against in the manner hereinafter provided.

No person to sell  
powder without  
license.

**SECT. 2.** *Be it further enacted,* That it shall not be lawful for any person or persons, to sell any Gunpowder, which may at the time be within the City of Bangor in any quantity, without having first obtained, from the Engineers of said City, a license, signed by the chief Engineer, or by the Secretary of the board of Engineers, on which shall be written or printed, a copy of the rules and regulations by them established, relative to the keeping, selling and transporting Gunpowder, within said City, and every license shall be in force for one year from the date thereof, unless annulled by the board of Engineers, and no longer; but such license may, prior to the expiration of that term, be renewed by the Chief Engineer or the said Secretary, from year to year by endorsement thereon; *Provided always,* that the board of Engineers may rescind any such license, if in their opinion the person or persons, have disobeyed the law, or infringed the rules and regulations established by said Board of Engineers. And every person who shall receive a license to sell Gunpowder as aforesaid, shall pay for the same the sum of Five Dollars, and for the renewal thereof One Dollar—which sums shall be paid to the Board of Engineers, for their use, for the purpose of defraying the expenses of carrying this Act into execution.

License to be in  
force one year.

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Sum to be paid  
for license.

Board of En-  
gineers may estab-  
lish rules, &c.  
for selling and  
transportation of  
gunpowder.

**SECT. 3.** *Be it further enacted,* That the Board of Engineers of the City of Bangor, may establish rules and regulations, from time to time, relative to the times, and places at which, Gunpowder may be brought to, or carried from, said City, by land or water; the times when and the manner in which, the same may be transported through

said City ; to direct and regulate the kind of carriages and boats, in which the same may be so brought to, carried from, or through said City, and to direct the manner in which Gunpowder may be kept by licensed dealers and other persons ; and to direct and require all such precautions as may appear to them needful and salutary to guard against danger in the keeping and transportation of Gunpowder.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted,* That any person or persons, who shall keep, have or possess any Gunpowder within the City of Bangor, contrary to the provisions of this Act, and to the rules and regulations made as aforesaid, or who shall sell any Gunpowder therein, without having a license therefor, or contrary to said license, or the rules and regulations made as aforesaid, shall forfeit and pay a fine of not less than One Hundred Dollars and not exceeding Five Hundred Dollars for each and every offence; and if any Gunpowder, kept contrary to the provisions of this Act, shall explode in any building or on board any ship or other vessel, or in any place in said City, the occupant, tenant or owner of which, has not then a license to keep and sell Gunpowder therein, or which Gunpowder shall have been kept in any manner contrary to such license, or to the rules and regulations established as aforesaid, such occupant, tenant or owner, shall forfeit and pay a fine of not less than Five Hundred Dollars, and not exceeding one Thousand Dollars ; one moiety of the sums which may be so forfeited, shall accrue to the use of the Poor of said City, and the other moiety to the use of any person or persons, who shall prosecute for the same, which forfeitures may be recovered by action of the case in any Court proper to try the same.

Penalty for keeping and selling gunpowder in violation of the provisions of this Act and of the above rules and regulations.

Penalty in case of the explosion of gunpowder.

Penalty how to be appropriated.

How recovered.

SECT. 5. *Be it further enacted,* That all Gunpowder, which shall be kept, had or possessed, within the City of Bangor, or brought into, or transported through the same, contrary to the provisions of this Act, and to the rules and regulations made as aforesaid, may be seized and taken into custody by any one or more of the Engineers of said city,

Gunpowder in certain cases may be seized by Engineers, and labelled.

Proceedings in  
such case.

Costs of prosecu-  
tion by whom to  
be paid.

Proceedings in  
case the persons  
in whose custody  
may be seized are  
unknown to En-  
gineers, &c.

Penalty for rescu-  
ing gunpowder  
seized as afore-  
said and molest-  
ing, &c. Engi-  
neers in discharge  
of their duty.

and the same shall, within twenty days next after the seizure thereof, be libelled, by filing in the office of the Recorder of the Municipal Court of said city, a libel, stating the time, place and cause of such seizure, a copy of which libel, or the substance thereof, together with a summons or notice, which said Recorder is hereby authorized to issue, shall be served on the person or persons in whose custody or possession such Gunpowder shall have been seized, if such person be an inhabitant of this State, by delivering a copy thereof to such person or persons, or leaving such a copy at his, her or their usual place of abode, fourteen days at least, before the sitting of the Court at which the same is to be heard, that such person or persons may appear, and shew cause why the Gunpowder so seized and taken should not be adjudged forfeit. And if the Gunpowder so seized, shall be adjudged forfeit, the person or persons, in whose custody or possession the same was seized, or the occupant or the tenant of the place, wherein the same was so seized, shall pay all costs of prosecution, and execution shall be issued therefor, *Provided*, That it appear to the Court that such person or persons had notice of such prosecution, by service as aforesaid. And in case the person or persons in whose custody or possession such Gunpowder may be seized, shall be unknown to the Engineer or Engineers making such seizure; or in case the Gunpowder at the time of seizure, may not be in the custody or possession of any person; or if it shall appear by the return of the officer, that such person cannot be found, or has no place of abode in this State, then said Court shall and may proceed to adjudication thereon; and such libel or summons, and also such writ of execution for costs, shall and may be served and executed in any County in this State, and by any officer competent to execute civil process in like cases.

SECT. 6. *Be it further enacted*, That any person or persons who shall rescue any Gunpowder seized as aforesaid or shall aid or assist therein, or who shall counsel and advise, or procure the same to be done, or who shall molest,



hinder or obstruct any Engineer in such seizure, or in conveying Gunpowder so seized to a place of safety, shall forfeit and pay a fine for each offence of not less than one Hundred Dollars, and not exceeding Five Hundred Dollars, to be sued for and recovered by action of the case, How recovered. by any person or persons who shall sue for the same, in any Court proper to try the same; and it is hereby made the duty of all persons to aid and assist such Engineer or Engineers in executing the duties hereby required.

SECT. 7. *Be it further enacted*, That the said Engineers or any of them may enter the store or place of any person or persons, licensed to sell Gunpowder, to examine and ascertain if the laws, rules and regulations relating thereto, are strictly observed; and on an alarm of fire may cause the Powder therein deposited to be removed, or destroyed, as the case may require. And it shall be lawful for any one or more of the Engineers of said City, to enter any dwelling house or other place in said city to search for Gunpowder, first having obtained from the Judge of the Municipal Court in said city, a search warrant therefor, which warrant the said Judge is authorized to issue, upon the complaint of such Engineer or Engineers, supported by his or their oath.

Engineers may enter the store of persons licensed to sell powder, &c.

May cause powder in certain cases to be removed or destroyed.

May enter dwelling houses to search for powder.

SECT. 8. *Be it further enacted*, That any person who shall suffer injury by the explosion of any Gunpowder, had, kept or transported within the City of Bangor, contrary to the provisions of this Act and the rules and regulations established as aforesaid, may have an action of the case in any Court proper to try the same, against the owner or owners of such Gunpowder, or against any person or persons, who may have had the possession of such Gunpowder, at the time of the explosion thereof, to recover reasonable damages for the injury thus sustained.

Persons injured by explosion of powder may recover damages therefor.

SECT. 9. *Be it further enacted*, That it shall be the duty of the Engineers of the City of Bangor, to cause all such rules and regulations as they may make and establish, by virtue of the authority given by this Act, to be published in two or more newspapers printed in the said City, and to

Engineers to cause their rules and regulations to be published.

Proviso.

cause such publication to be continued three weeks successively, for the information and government of all persons concerned.—*Provided however* that said rules and regulations shall not be applied to any person or persons excepting inhabitants of the City of Bangor, until personal notice shall have been given of the existence and nature of said rules and regulations.

Fines forfeitures and penalties,—how recovered.

In prosecutions this Act shall be deemed a public Act.

SECT. 10. *Be it further enacted*, That all fines, penalties and forfeitures, which may arise or accrue, under this Act, shall and may be prosecuted for and recovered, either in the manner hereinbefore specially provided, or by indictment, complaint or information in any Court proper to try the same. And this Act shall be deemed and taken to be a public Act, of which all Courts, Magistrates and Citizens are bound to take notice of as such; and in any libel, action, indictment, information or complaint, upon this Act, it shall not be necessary to set forth any more of the same, than so much thereof as relates thereto, and may be necessary, truly and substantially, to describe the offence alleged to have been committed.

Fines, forfeitures, &c.—how recovered.

Proviso.

SECT. 11. *Be it further enacted*, That all fines, penalties and forfeitures, which shall be recovered by force of this Act, and which are not otherwise appropriated, shall accrue and enure, one half to the poor of the City of Bangor, to be paid over to the Overseers of the Poor thereof, and one half to the Engineers of said City : *Provided however*, that whenever, on the trial of any prosecution under this Act, any one or more of said Engineers, shall be sworn and examined as a witness or witnesses therein, record thereof shall be made in Court, and in that case, the whole of such fine, penalty, and forfeiture shall accrue and enure to the poor of said City, and be paid over as aforesaid.

When this Act shall take effect. Repeal of former Acts.

Proviso.

SECT. 12. *Be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after the passing thereof and that all Acts and parts of Acts, heretofore passed which are inconsistent with, or repugnant to, the provisions of this Act, be and the same are repealed, so far as relates to said City of Bangor : *Provided however*, that the same

shall continue in force, for the purpose of prosecuting all offences which may have been committed prior to the passing of this Act, in the same manner, to all intents and purposes, as if the same had not been repealed.

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CHAPTER 604.

AN ADDITIONAL ACT to prevent the destruction of Fish in Denny's River and Pinmaquan.

Approved March 23, 1835.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That from and after the passing of this Act, it shall not be lawful for any person or persons to take kill or destroy any Salmon Shad or Alewives at or below the Salt-works Mill at the head of tide on Pinmaquan River, or at or near the dam at the Little Falls on said River, in the town of Pembroke—and if any person or persons shall take kill or destroy any Salmon Shad or Alewives contrary to the provisions of this Act he or they shall forfeit and pay one dollar for every Salmon, twenty five cents for every Shad, two cents for every Alewife so taken killed or destroyed, to be recovered by action of debt in any Court proper to try the same to the use of the person who shall prosecute and sue therefor.

Taking and destruction of Salmon, &c. in certain places prohibited.

Penalty for so doing.

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CHAPTER 605.

AN ACT to incorporate the Trustees of the Smith Female Seminary.

Approved March 23, 1835.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Jacob McGaw, Samuel Veazie, S. S. Pomroy, James Crosby, Edward Kent, George W. Brown, George W. Pickering, James B. Fiske, Bradford Harlowe, John Fiske and Charles C. Taylor,

Names of persons incorporated.

Corporate name,  
and powers, priv-  
ileges, & amount  
of property.

their associates and successors be and they **hereby are**, created a body politic and corporate, by the **name of the Trustees of the Smith Female Seminary**, and by **that name** shall have power to prosecute and defend suits **at law**, to have and use a common seal, to take and hold for the objects of the association, any estate real or personal to an amount not exceeding **Twenty Thousand Dollars**, and the same to use and dispose of at pleasure; to make and execute any by-laws for the convenient management of their affairs, not repugnant to the laws of the State, and generally to have and enjoy all the privileges incident to Corporations for Literary and Scientific purposes.

May erect and  
maintain suitable  
buildings, &c.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That it shall be lawful for said Corporation to erect, and maintain, and keep in repair, suitable buildings for the accommodation of one or more Schools, and for the repository of such Books, Philosophical and other apparatus, as the Corporation may deem necessary.

Capital Stock to  
be divided into  
shares.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted*, That the Capital Stock of said Corporation shall be divided into shares of Fifty Dollars each, and the number of votes to which each Stockholder shall be entitled at all meetings of said Stockholders, shall be according to the number of shares he shall hold, in the following proportions, that is to say, for one share one vote, and every two shares above one, shall give a right to one vote—*Provided* that no member, shall be entitled to more than ten votes.

Proviso.

Shares to be per-  
sonal property.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted*, That the shares, or stock in this Corporation shall be deemed and taken to be personal property and held; and transferred, pledged, or sold as such; and whenever the Corporation shall be dissolved, the property thereof shall vest in the holders of the shares, at the time of such dissolution, according to the several and respective interests, subject to the legal and equitable claims of creditors of the Corporation, to be enforced according to Law.

Mode of calling  
first meeting.

SECT. 5. *Be it further enacted*, That any three of the Corporators aforesaid may call the first meeting of said Cor-

poration, by advertisement of the time and place and purposes thereof in some newspaper printed in Bangor, seven days at least before the time appointed for the holding of said Meeting.

## CHAPTER 606.

AN ACT to incorporate the West Branch Boom Company.

Approved March 24, 1835.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Robert Gibson, Ellis B. Usher, Stephen Cummings, Alpheus Shaw, and Enoch Paine their associates and successors, be, and hereby are incorporated and constituted a body corporate, by the name of the West Branch Boom Company, and by that name may sue and be sued—have a common seal—make by-laws not repugnant to the laws of this State, for the management of their corporate concerns, and have and enjoy all the rights and powers of similar Corporations.

Names of persons incorporated.

Corporate name.

Powers, privileges, &c.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That said Corporation may erect and maintain a Boom across the West Branch of Penobscot River at the head of the Umbagogus Lake for the purpose of stopping and securing logs, masts, spars and other lumber, floating upon said River, and may erect piers and side or branch booms, where the same may be necessary at or near the head of said Lake as aforesaid.

May erect and maintain Boom piers, side booms, &c.

*Provided,* That said booms shall be so constructed as to admit the safe passage of rafts, preserving the navigation of said River in as good condition as it now is—and shall be constructed in a strong and faithful manner, and constantly kept in repair so as to secure all the logs and lumber contained therein, and shall be so guarded as to prevent the escape of the same, and should any person or persons suffer any loss in consequence of the neglect or carelessness of said Corporation, they shall have a right of action against it for the same.

Provide, as to construction of booms, &c.

Persons suffering loss may have an action against the Corporation.

Proceedings in case the amount of damages occasioned by any proceedings of Corporation cannot be agreed on.

Party dissatisfied may have a trial by jury.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted*, That if any person or persons shall suffer damage by the exercise of the powers herein granted to said Corporation, and the amount thereof cannot be agreed upon by the parties, nor by any person or persons agreed upon by them to estimate the same, the Court of Common Pleas for the County of Penobscot, shall, on application of the party aggrieved, cause said damages to be ascertained by a Committee of three disinterested freeholders of the same County—And if either party shall be dissatisfied with the award of said Committee and shall, at the term when said award is presented, apply to said Court for a trial by Jury in the manner other like causes are determined, the Court shall by Jury determine the amount of such damage accordingly—and if the verdict be not more favorable to the party applying for the Jury than was awarded by the Committee, judgment for costs shall be rendered against such applicant, but if the verdict be more favorable to the party so applying, than was awarded by the Committee, the applicant shall receive costs; and execution shall, in either case issue upon judgment rendered thereon.

Penalty for wilfully injuring the property of Corporation.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted*, That if any person or persons shall wilfully or maliciously injure or destroy any of such booms, piers or other works connected therewith, he or they shall forfeit and pay treble the amount of the damages to the Corporation, to be recovered by action of trespass; and further be liable to indictment in the Supreme Judicial Court, or Court of Common Pleas, for a misdemeanor, and on conviction, to suffer such penalty or imprisonment as the Court shall order.

Rates of toll.

SECT. 5. *Be it further enacted*, That there shall be allowed to said Corporation a toll or boomage of one and an half cents for each stick in said booms secured.

Proceedings when logs are not claimed and toll is not paid within ten days.

SECT. 6. *Be it further enacted*, That when any logs shall be boomed and secured as aforesaid between the fifteenth day of April and the fifteenth day of June in any year, and the owner or owners shall not appear to claim the same and pay the toll thereon within ten days from

the time said logs were first boomed, it shall be lawful for said Corporation after the expiration of said ten days to mark the same with the letters W B C and to raft, and drive said logs to market, and to sell the same at public auction first giving notice of the time and place of sale in the State Paper and one other Paper printed in the County of Penobscot at least thirty days before such time of sale.

And the owner of said logs at any time within one year from such sale shall be entitled to demand and receive of said Corporation, the avails thereof, after deducting the tolls, expenses of rafting and driving said logs, and other necessary charges—*Provided however*, That the whole expenses shall in no case exceed one dollar per thousand feet. But if not claimed within that time, the proceeds shall be vested in said Corporation for their own use. And no owner, or other person shall take any logs after they are within said booms, or after they are taken therefrom by said Corporation, until all tolls and necessary expenses are paid—And said Corporation shall scale all such logs and timber and keep an accurate account of the number and marks of the same and the number of feet, board measure, in each log or stick of timber so scaled, and shall exhibit at all times when any person shall request it, the account aforesaid and be accountable for such logs and timber to the owners thereof.

Owners may demand proceeds after deducting expenses within one year.

Proviso.

Corporation to scale logs and timber and keep account.

SECT. 7. *Be it further enacted*, That for the purposes aforesaid, the said Corporation be, and hereby is authorized and empowered to purchase, hold and possess real estate adjacent to said Boom or Booms or convenient thereto, with leave to build all such buildings as may be deemed necessary and convenient for the management of the affairs of said Corporation; and for the same purposes, their Agent, and those in their employment, are hereby empowered to use and occupy the lands, on the shore of said River, as far as may be necessary at the place or places, where said booms are erected, for rafting and securing logs and other lumber adjacent thereto; and to pass and repass on foot, to and from said boom or booms over the

Corporation may hold and purchase real estate, erect buildings, &c.

—and use and occupy lands adjacent the places where their booms are erected:

—and pass over the same for the purpose of keeping

ing their bonds  
in repair, &c.

lands on both sides of said River for the purpose of making repairs from time to time, and generally for doing all matters and things necessary for the full accomplishment of the objects of this Corporation; subject however to pay to the owner or owners of the land such damages as may arise in the prosecution of such objects or purposes—said damages to be ascertained as in the third section of this Act.

Liable to owners  
for damages.

## CHAPTER 607.

AN ACT to incorporate the Brunswick High School.

Approved March 24, 1835.

Names of persons  
incorporated.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Isaac Lincoln, David Dunlap, A. B. Thompson, R. T. Dunlap, Geo. E. Adams, their associates and successors, be, and they hereby are constituted a body politic and corporate by the name of the Brunswick High School; and by that name shall have power to prosecute and defend suits at law; to have and use a common seal; to take and hold for the objects of their association any estate real or personal, to an amount not exceeding Twelve Thousand Dollars, and the same to use and dispose of at their pleasure: to make and execute any by laws for the convenient management of their affairs not repugnant to the laws of the State; and generally to have and enjoy all the powers and privileges incident to corporations instituted for literary and scientific purposes.

Corporate name,  
and powers, priv-  
ileges, & amount  
of property.

May erect and  
maintain suitable  
buildings, &c.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That it shall be lawful for said Corporation, to erect, maintain and keep in repair, suitable buildings for the accommodation of one or more schools, and for the repository of such books, philosophical and other apparatus as the Corporation may deem necessary or proper.

Amount of Capital  
Stock—to be  
divided into  
shares.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted,* That the Capital Stock of said Corporation shall be divided into shares of Fifty Dollars each; and the number of votes to which each



Stockholder shall be entitled at all meetings of said Stockholders shall be according to the number of shares he shall hold, in the following proportions, that is to say, for one share one vote, and every two shares above one, shall give a right to one vote more, provided no one member shall have more than ten votes.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted*, That the shares or stock in this Corporation shall be deemed and taken to be personal property, and held, transferred, pledged or sold as such, and whenever the Corporation shall be dissolved, the property thereof, shall vest in the Stockholders of the shares, at the time of such dissolution, according to their several and respective interests, subject to the legal and equitable claims of creditors of the Corporation to be enforced according to law.

Shares to be deemed personal property.

SECT. 5. *Be it further enacted*, That any three of the Corporators aforementioned may call the first meeting of said Corporation, by advertisement of the time and place thereof in any newspaper printed in Brunswick or Portland, seven days at least before the time appointed for said meeting.

Mode of calling the first meeting.

## CHAPTER 608.

AN ACT to incorporate the Casco and Kennebec Canal Company.

Approved March 24, 1835.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled*, That Levi Cutter, William Willis, Nathaniel G. Jewett, Samuel Winter, Noah Hinkley, Asa W. H. Clapp, Oliver B. Dorrance, Alpheus Shaw, John Purinton, George Jewett, together with their associates and successors, be, and they hereby are constituted a body politic and corporate by the name of the Casco and Kennebec Canal Company, with all the powers, privileges and immunities incident to a corporation aggregate:—and said Corporation may have and use a common

Names of persons incorporated.

Corporate name, powers, privileges and immunities.

seal, and may prosecute and defend suits at law by their corporate name :—and said Corporation may take and hold and sell and convey in fee simple or otherwise, any estate, real, personal or mixed, necessary for carrying into effect the objects of this Act:—and may make any by-laws for the convenient management of their affairs not repugnant to the constitution and laws of the State.

Corporation may make and maintain canal or canals from, &c.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That said Corporation shall have power to survey, lay out, make and maintain a canal or canals with a suitable number of locks from the head waters of New Meadows river to the Kennebec river, at an inlet called Welch's creek ; and also to make a Canal or cut so as to form a connexion between New Meadows river and Casco Bay, by a cut through Harpswell neck, and a dam and tide lock in the narrow strait at the Gurnets, so called :—and for the purposes aforesaid the said Corporation may take and use the lands of individuals or private persons along the course of said canal, not exceeding the breadth of thirty rods ; acquiring thereby the same title to said lands, as is acquired by the public to lands appropriated for public highways, and paying a just compensation therefor ; and said Corporation shall have power to make in any part of any such canal or canals, and at the extremities thereof, all such locks, dams, flood gates, docks, embankments, basins, piers, wharves and other works, as well above as below, low water mark, as may be convenient or necessary for the purposes hereby intended.

—may use lands of individuals on paying compensation therefor.

—and erect locks, dams, flood gates, &c.

Proceedings when Corporation and individuals cannot agree as to damages.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted*, That whenever the Corporation hereby created cannot agree with any other Corporation or individuals over and through whose lands the said Canal or Canals may pass, as to the value thereof, when thus taken for the uses of the Canal, or as to the damage sustained thereby, or by overflowing or otherwise injuring the lands adjoining, the same process and proceedings may be had, and the same remedies used for settling all controversies which may arise in the premises, as are provided in and by the third and fifth sections of the Act to establish the Cumberland and Oxford Canal Corporation,

passed March 15th 1821 :—and each party shall have the same rights of appeal as are given in and by the sixth section of the same Act.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted,* That a toll is hereby granted and shall be established for the benefit of said corporation, according to the rates following, to wit:—Rates of toll. For all planks, boards, joist or other sawed stuff, timber squared, other than hard wood, board measure, fifty cents per thousand; on the same, if hard wood, fifty cents per thousand; on spars and masts per ton of soft wood, forty cents; on piling per ton, twenty cents; on round timber, soft wood, other than spars, masts and piling per ton, twenty cents; on round timber, hard wood per ton, fifty cents; on ship timber, hard wood per ton, fifty cents; on same soft wood—per ton, thirty cents; on knees of an average size thirteen to a ton—per ton, sixty cents; on oars per thousand feet—one dollar; on treenails per thousand feet, thirty cents; on clapboards per thousand, sixty cents; on laths per thousand, ten cents; on hhd. staves per thousand, seventy cents; on barrel staves hard wood, fifty cents; on bbl. staves soft wood, thirty cents; on shingles per thousand, twelve cents; on hhd. hoops and bbl. hoop poles per thousand, one dollar; on barrel hoops, sixty cents; on hhd. hoop poles per thousand, one dollar; on bricks per thousand, sixty cents; on shooks each, six cents; on sugar boxes each, five cents; on heading, pairs one hundred, eighty cents; on fencing posts one hundred in number, two dollars; on hard wood and bark per cord, fifty cents; on soft wood per cord, twenty cents; on gypsum, sand, grindstones, leached ashes &c. per ton, twenty five cents; on granite wrought or unwrought—per ton, twenty five cents; on iron, nails, spikes, lead and hollow ware per ton, fifty cents; on pot and pearl ashes, salt, salt petre and brimstone per ton, sixty cents; on bales of cotton and cotton factory goods per ton, sixty cents; on hay per ton, sixty cents; on charcoal per hundred bushels, forty cents; on boxes of dry goods per ton of forty feet, sixty cents; on crates of ware each, forty cents; on chests of tea each, eight cents; on ploughs—

each ten cents; on lime the cask, twelve cents; on boxes of glass one hundred feet each, eight cents; on molasses the hhd. forty cents; do. tierce, twenty two cents; do. bbl. ten cents; on spirits and wine tierce each, twenty two cents; beef and pork the bbl. ten cents; on flour and pickled fish do. ten cents; on bread and crackers, ten cents per bbl.; on cider and apples per bbl. six cents; on salt per bushel two cents; on oats do. three cents; on corn and other grain, two cents; on potatoes and other vegetables, three cents; on passengers, twelve and a half cents each.

Corporation to make and keep in repair bridges where it crosses town or county roads, &c.

—and while constructing said canal to erect temporary bridges.

Proviso.

Penalty for wilfully injuring the property of Corporation.

Offenders liable also to indictment.

SECT. 5. *Be it further enacted*, That it shall be the duty of said Corporation to make and keep in good repair, at all times, good and sufficient bridges, with draws, over said canal or canals, where any county or town roads now cross the land which may be taken for the same, for the passage of teams, mail stages and carriages, and every thing necessary for the public convenience, toll free. And it shall be the duty of said Corporation while constructing said canal over and across any public highway, to erect temporary bridges or otherwise provide for the safe passage of teams, mail stages, carriages and all other vehicles, beasts or passengers having occasion to travel over the same—*Provided*, That no person or persons, other than stockholders under this Act, shall ever be liable to any expense in making, building or repairing any bridge or draw erected by virtue of powers hereby granted, or to any expense for attending said draw or draws.

SECT. 6. *Be it further enacted*, That if any person shall wilfully, maliciously, or contrary to law, take up, remove, undermine, or otherwise injure any part of said canals, or any works connected with, or appertaining to the same, such person for every such offence shall forfeit and pay to said Corporation a sum not less than Fifty nor more than Five Thousand Dollars according to the nature and aggravation of the injury done or committed. And such offender or offenders shall further be liable to indictment for such trespass or trespasses, and on conviction thereof

shall be sentenced to pay a fine to the State of no less than Twenty Five, nor more than One Hundred Dollars.

SECT. 7. *Be it further enacted*, That the shares in the stock and property of the Corporation aforesaid shall be deemed and taken to be personal estate ; and may be transferred under such rules and regulations as may be lawfully established by said Corporation.

Shares to be deemed personal property, and transferred as such.

SECT. 8. *Be it further enacted*, That the first meeting of the Corporation hereby created may be called at such time and place, as may be deemed proper, by any three of the persons named in the first section of this Act, giving notice thereof in one or more of the public newspapers printed in Portland and Augusta.

Mode of calling first meeting.

## CHAPTER 609.

AN ACT in addition to an Act, entitled an Act to regulate the Survey of Lumber in the County of Penobscot.

Approved March 24, 1835.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled*, That the Act entitled An Act to regulate the Survey of Lumber in the County of Penobscot passed March second in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty three, be and the same is hereby so far altered and amended that it shall be lawful for Surveyors chosen by the town of Hampden to survey in the same manner as practiced before the passage of this Act all Lumber which may be transported to that Town by land, all Lumber manufactured within the limits thereof and all Lumber bought or sold by the inhabitants of the said town of Hampden.

Former act amended so far as relates to town of Hampden.

## CHAPTER 610.

AN ACT to incorporate the Brunswick Rail Road Company.

Approved March 24, 1835.

Names of persons  
incorporated.Corporate name.  
Powers, priv-  
ileges, &c.Powers of the  
Company to be  
vested in a board  
of Directors to be  
chosen annually.Directors to elect  
annually Presi-  
dent, Secretary,  
Treasurer, &c.Company author-  
ized to locate and  
construct Rail  
Road.May take land  
necessary for con-  
structing railroad.Proviso, as to  
damages.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Elijah P. Pike, Nathl. Davis, Alfred J. Stone, Charles Stetson, Roger Merrill, Jordan Woodward, Benjamin Pennell, John S. Cushing and Solomon P. Cushman and their associates, successors and assigns be and they hereby are made a body politic and corporate by the name of the Brunswick Rail Road Company, with all the powers and privileges incident to similar Corporations, so far as may be necessary to carry into effect all the purposes of this Act.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That the powers of said Company shall, except at any legal meeting thereof be vested in a Board of not less than Five Directors, who shall be chosen at the first meeting of the Company, and shall afterwards be chosen annually at such time as their by-laws may determine, and shall hold their offices for one year and until others are chosen and qualified in their stead.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted,* That the Directors shall annually elect a President, Secretary, Treasurer, and any other officers which their by-laws may prescribe, and the Company may establish such by-laws as they may see fit, not repugnant to the laws of the State.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted,* That the said Company may, and they hereby are authorized to locate and construct a Rail Road, from the Androscoggin River near Brunswick village to some navigable waters of the Casco Bay, with one or more branches, as said Company may find most expedient, and for this purpose the Company are authorized to locate the road four rods wide and for the purpose of cutting embankments and for procuring stone and gravel, may take as much more land as may be necessary for the construction of the said road. *Provided however*—that all damages which may be occasioned to any person or Corporations by the taking of such land or

materials for the purposes aforesaid shall be paid for by the Corporation.

SECT. 5. *Be it further enacted*, That all damages claimed, or adjudged for the taking and use of materials, land or other estate, by virtue of this Act, shall be estimated according to the value which they possessed independently of the effect of this Act. And when the lands or other property of any infant or person non compos mentis, shall be taken or damaged, for the purposes of this Act, the Guardian of such person may settle and discharge all damages, or claim for damages in relation thereto.

Damages to be estimated independently of the effect of this act.

Guardians of persons non compos mentis may settle damages.

SECT. 6. *Be it further enacted*, That the Capital Stock of said Company may consist of Forty Thousand Dollars, and shall be divided into shares of One Hundred Dollars each, and each share shall entitle the holder thereof to one vote, *Provided* no member shall be allowed more than twenty votes.

Amount of Capital Stock.

SECT. 7. *Be it further enacted*, That the said Company shall have power from time, to time to establish, demand and collect such rates of toll for the transportation of persons, goods, wares, and merchandise or any article on said road as they may see fit, *Provided, however*, that at any time after ten years from the completion of said Road the Legislature may reduce said rates of toll at its pleasure.

Corporation may establish rates of toll.

Provide.

SECT. 8. *Be it further enacted*, That if the said Rail Road shall pass any public highway, the Road shall be so constructed as not to injure or obstruct the safe conveyance on said public way.

Not to obstruct safe conveyance of any public highway.

SECT. 9. *Be it further enacted*, That the first meeting of said Corporation may be called by Elijah P. Pike or Nathaniel Davis by posting up notifications of the time and place thereof in two public places in said town of Brunswick, seven days prior to the time of said meeting.

First meeting—how called.

SECT. 10. *Be it further enacted*, That unless said Railway be completed within five years from the passing of this Act, then this grant shall be void.

Limitation of charter.

SECT. 11. *Be it further enacted*, That said Corporation shall constantly from, and after the time when they com-

Corporation obliged to keep and maintain in repair

a good and sufficient Rail Road, after they commence taking toll—and provide fit vehicles.

menced the taking of toll for transporting any of the articles aforesaid, have and maintain in good repair and fit for use a good and convenient Rail Road, constructed of suitable materials and provide fit vehicles and carriages, with all necessary apparatus for the safe and speedy conveyance of all such articles as they may be required to transport upon said Rail-way and shall be held and obliged to take charge of, and convey the same accordingly, the toll therefor being first paid or tendered.

## CHAPTER 611.

AN ACT to incorporate the Waterville and Fairfield Railway Company.

Approved March 24, 1835.

Names of persons incorporated.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Abijah Smith, Jedediah Morrill, Zebulon Sanger, Samuel Appleton, Simeon Matthews, William Pearson, John Kendall, Joseph Banks, David Page, Ebenezer Bolkcom, Jonas Parlin Jr., Samuel Weston, John W. Weston, Asa Wyman, A. Z. Littlefield, John G. Neil, Joseph Patten, Samuel Philbrick, Ebenezer H. Neil, Samuel Soule, Edmund Pearson and Philander Coburn—with their associates, successors, and assigns, be and hereby are created a Corporation by the name of the Waterville and Fairfield Rail-way Company, and shall so continue for the space of thirty years from the passing of this Act, and by that name may sue and be sued, use a common seal, and shall have all the powers and immunities necessary to carry the purposes of this Act into effect.

Corporate name—limitation of charter—powers, privileges, &c.

Authorized to locate and construct railway.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That said Corporation is authorized to locate, construct, and maintain a Railway from some point in or near the village at Kendall's Mills in Fairfield in the County of Somerset, and extending the same to some point in or near the village in Waterville in the County of Kennebec; in such mode as said Corporation may deem most expedient; to lay out such way as



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wide as may be necessary for the convenient use of said Railway. *Provided*, That said Corporation shall be holden to pay all persons and Corporations the damages they may sustain by the location and making aforesaid, to be estimated and recovered in the manner provided by law for recovering damages by reason of the laying out of highways.

Corporation to be holden for payment of damages.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted*, That the Capital Stock of said Corporation shall consist of Five Hundred Shares. The government and direction of the affairs of said Corporation shall be vested in not more than nine nor less than five Directors, who shall hold their office for one year and until others are chosen in their room, and a majority of them shall constitute a quorum for transacting business. They shall elect one of their number President of the Board of Directors and of the Corporation. Said Corporation may choose all other necessary officers, and may make necessary by-laws for the management of their affairs not repugnant to the laws of the State.

Capital Stock to consist of Five Hundred Shares, and the government of affairs to be vested in a board of Directors to be chosen annually.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted*, That said Corporation may purchase and hold land and all other things necessary for the construction and use of said Railway, and make assessments on the shares and collect the same as may be provided in their by-laws.

May purchase and hold lands, &c.

SECT. 5. *Be it further enacted*, That the annual meeting of the members of said Corporation shall be holden on the second Tuesday of January, at such hour and place as the Directors shall designate, at which meeting the Directors shall be chosen by ballot allowing one vote to every share, but no member to be allowed more than thirty votes.

Annual meeting of Corporation.

SECT. 6. *Be it further enacted*, That if said Railway shall cross any public way, it shall be so constructed as not to obstruct the safe and convenient use of the same. And this Act shall not be so construed as to prevent the County Commissioners or the Selectmen of either of the towns of Waterville or Fairfield from laying out public ways, whenever common convenience and necessity shall require the same.

Choice of Directors.

Not to obstruct public highways.

Powers of County Commissioners and Selectmen not to be impaired.

**Rates of toll.**

SECT. 7. *Be it further enacted*, That there is hereby granted to said Corporation a toll for the articles conveyed upon said Rail-way at the following rates viz :—for transporting the whole distance of said Rail-way, boards and plank per thousand feet, board measure, forty cents ; Clapboards per thousand, thirty five cents ; Shingles per thousand, ten cents ; Lathes per thousand, twelve cents ; goods or merchandize per ton, fifty cents ; screwed hay per ton, seventy five cents ; bark per cord, fifty cents ; bags containing two bushels of salt, grain or other articles, six cents each ; and for each passenger, twenty five cents.

Corporation after they commence receiving tolls to keep railway in repair and provide vehicles, &c.

Rates of toll may be altered by the Legislature.

Railway to be finished within five years.

Mode of calling first meeting.

Provisions of this Act not to be altered within ten years.

And said Corporation, after they shall commence receiving tolls, shall be bound at all times to have said Rail-way in good repair and a sufficient number of suitable carriages and vehicles for the transportation of articles, and be obliged to receive and convey the same whenever the proper tolls therefor shall be paid or tendered. And the rates of toll shall be subject to be altered and regulated at the pleasure of the Legislature. But this grant shall be void unless said Rail-way shall be constructed and finished within five years from the time said Act shall take effect.

SECT. 8. *Be it further enacted*, That the three persons first named in this Act or any one of them are authorized to call the first meeting of the Corporation by publishing the time and place thereof three weeks successively in some newspaper printed in the County of Kennebec at which meeting Directors may be chosen and all other Corporation business transacted. And the Legislature shall not have the right to restrict or annul the provisions of this Act till after the expiration of ten years from the passing of the same.

## MERRYMEETING BRIDGE.—APPROPRIATIONS.

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### CHAPTER 612.

AN ACT authorizing the town of Bath, to take Stock in the Merrymeeting Bridge.

Approved March 24, 1835.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That the Inhabitants of the Town of Bath be authorized, by vote at any Town Meeting legally held for the purpose, to take and hold stock in the Corporation created by an Act of this Legislature, entitled "An Act to incorporate the Proprietors of the Merrymeeting Bridge, not exceeding in the whole, two fifth parts of said stock ; and for that object, to raise money, or borrow the same, on the credit of the Town: And said Inhabitants may, by their Agent, vote in all meetings of said Corporation, according to the by-laws thereof.

Town of Bath  
may take stock  
in Merrymeeting  
Bridge.

### CHAPTER 613.

AN ACT to provide for the Expenditures of the Government for the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty five.

Approved March 24, 1835.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That there be and hereby are appropriated to be paid out of any unappropriated monies in the Treasury, the following sums for the expenditures of the Government for the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty five in conformity to certain Acts and Resolves of the present and of former Legislatures. And the Governor by and with the advice and consent of the Council is hereby authorized to draw his warrants upon the Treasurer for the same : viz. For

Appropriations  
made for expen-  
ditures of Gov-  
ernment.

#### SALARIES.

Fifteen thousand seven hundred dollars, \$15,700 00

#### LEGISLATURE.

Pay Roll of the Council, Senate and House of Representatives, Forty thousand dollars, 40,000 00

## APPROPRIATIONS.

## LITERARY INSTITUTIONS.

Two thousand two hundred dollars, 2,200 00

## PUBLIC BUILDINGS.

Repairs of Furniture and Superintendence of  
Public Buildings, Four hundred and twenty  
five dollars, 425 00

## ROADS.

Making and repairing roads and pay of Agents,  
Eight thousand dollars, 8,000 00

## ACCOUNTS.

Roll of Accounts No. 16 and Additional, Twenty  
seven thousand, thirty dollars, and fifty  
one cents, 27,030 51

## STATE DEBT.

Interest on State Debt, Seven thousand, nine  
hundred and thirty two dollars and forty  
two cents, 7,932 42

## PENSIONS.

Pensioners, Nine hundred and fifty dollars, 950 00

## INDIANS AND THEIR AGENTS.

Annual allowances, Two thousand, two hundred  
dollars, 2,200 00  
Indians, Two hundred, fourteen dollars, 214 00  
Building a Meetinghouse, five hundred dollars, 500 00

## STATE PRISON.

Salaries of Subordinate Officers and compen-  
sation to Inspectors, Three thousand, five  
hundred and eleven dollars and thirty four  
cents, 3,511 34  
Settlement of the Accounts, Two thousand,  
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twenty six cents, 2,857 26  
Costs in Criminal Prosecutions, Ten thousand  
dollars, 10,000 00

## LAW REPORTS.

Greenleaf's and Fairfield's Reports, One thou-  
sand, eight hundred and ninety dollars, 1,890 00

## ANNUAL SCHOOL FUND.

Bank Tax of 1834 and balance of Bank Tax  
of 1833, Twenty five thousand three hun-  
dred thirty eight dollars and seventy five  
cents, 25,338 75

# APPROPRIATIONS.

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## MILITARY SERVICE.

**Artillery, Musical Instruments, Gun Houses,  
Arsenal, Transportation, &c., Twenty  
three hundred and fifty dollars,** 2,350 00

## MISCELLANEOUS.

**Clerks in the Public Offices, Sixteen Hundred  
Dollars,** 1,600 00  
**Agricultural Societies, Nine Hundred Dollars,** 900 00  
**Cumberland and Oxford Canal Lottery, Three  
Hundred and Fourteen Dollars and Fifty  
One Cents,** 314 51  
**American Asylum for the Deaf and Dumb,  
Fourteen Hundred and Sixty Dollars,** 1,460 00  
**Town of New Portland, Ten Dollars,** 10 00  
**Education of Indigent Blind, One Thousand  
Dollars,** 1,000 00  
**Gideon Robinson, Twenty Seven Dollars and  
Eighty Nine Cents,** 27 89  
**John Bent, Twenty Five Dollars,** 25 00  
**Warren Hathorn, Twenty Two Dollars and  
Eight Cents,** 22 08  
**Indigent Blind, by Resolve of March 23, 1835,  
Four Thousand Dollars,** 4,000 00  
**Total, One Hundred, Fifty Nine Thousand,  
Five Hundred Fifty Eight Dollars and  
Seventy Six Cents.**

**SECT. 2.** *Be it further enacted,* That there be and hereby are appropriated to be paid out of any unappropriated monies in the Treasury the following sums for the purposes hereafter specified, and the Governor with advice of the Council is hereby authorized to draw his warrants therefor, viz.

**For—William J. Condon, advance pay for  
printing the present year, One Thousand  
Dollars,** 1,000 00  
**Sewall Prescott, balance of his account, as set-  
tled by the Governor and Council, Sixty  
Seven Dollars and Seventy Five Cents,** 67 75  
**Roscoe G. Greene, Stationery for the year 1835  
Five Hundred Dollars, for the expenditure  
of which he is hereby directed to present  
his account to the Legislature for settle-  
ment.** 500 00

*Appropriations  
for expenditures  
of Government.*

## FRYBURG TOMB CORPORATION.

Contingent Fund at the disposal of the Governor and Council, Three Thousand Dollars,	3,000 00
Contingent Expenses of the Government, Three Thousand Dollars, for the expenditure of which the Treasurer is hereby directed to render his account to the Legislature,	3,000 00
Total, Seven Thousand, Five Hundred Sixty Seven Dollars, and Seventy Five Cents.	
Total amount of all the appropriations herein authorized One Hundred Sixty Seven Thousand One Hundred and Twenty Six Dollars and Fifty One Cents,	167,126 51

## CHAPTER 614.

AN ACT to incorporate the Fryburg Tomb Corporation.

Approved March 24, 1835.

**SECT. 1.** *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Benjamin Wyman, James Hobbs Jr., James Hobbs, Stephen F. Hobbs, Lorenzo B. Dresser, David Eastman, Stephen Gordon, William Gordon, Richard Barker, Richard Barker 2nd, John Barker, Philip P. Barker, Caleb Abbot, Asa Abbot, Hosea Eastman, Joseph Frye, Richard Frye Jr., James W. R. Farrington, Samuel A. B. Farrington, Southwell Farrington, Vere R. Farrington, Henry Gordon, James Walker 3rd, with their associates and assigns be, and the same hereby are incorporated into a body politic, by the name and title of "the Fryburg Tomb Corporation" and by that name may sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded, and use a common seal.

Names of persons incorporated.

Corporate name, powers, privileges, &amp;c.

Authorized to hold real and personal estate.

Property to be divided into shares.

**SECT. 2.** *Be it further enacted,* That the said Corporation may hold, in its corporate capacity so much property real and personal, not exceeding Five Thousand Dollars, as may be deemed necessary to erect and keep in repair, a Tomb or place of deposit for the Dead.

**SECT. 3.** *Be it further enacted,* That the property owned by the said Corporation, shall be divided into such a number of shares, not exceeding Forty Two as the proprietors,

may deem necessary, *Provided* that no one Proprietor shall own more than Five Shares, and at all meetings of said Corporation each share shall be entitled to one vote.

Proviso.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted*, That the officers of said Corporation shall consist, of a Clerk, Treasurer, and Collector, and such other officers, as they may deem necessary for the management of the concerns of said Corporation and chosen for such terms, and in such a manner, as they by their by laws may provide, and the Clerk shall keep a fair record of the transactions of said Corporation, which shall be open at all times for the inspection of any of the Proprietors of said Corporation, or any other person interested in the same.

Officers of Corporation

How chosen.

Duties of Clerk.

SECT. 5. *Be it further enacted*, That the Corporation aforesaid, shall have power by a majority of their votes at any legal meeting called for that purpose, to raise such sum or sums of money by a tax on all the shares, as may at any time be deemed necessary for the purpose of building and keeping in repair the said Tomb, and other property connected therewith, and the private property of the Proprietors of said Shares shall be holden for the payment of all such taxes. And it shall be the duty of the Treasurer of said Corporation when any money or monies are so assessed to issue his warrant directed to the Collector of said Corporation to collect and pay over to him all such monies within such time as shall be specified by a vote of said Corporation. And said Collector shall be sworn to the faithful discharge of his duty, and shall have the same powers to collect such taxes as Collectors of Towns and Plantations have to collect the Bills committed to them.

May raise money tax on shares.

Private property of Stockholders holden for payment of assessments.

Treasurer to issue his warrant to the Collector.

Collector to be sworn to faithful discharge of his duties.

SECT. 6. *Be it further enacted*, That the said Corporation shall have full power to pass such by-laws, and adopt such regulations, from time to time, as they may deem necessary ; *Provided*, that such by-laws and regulations, shall not be repugnant to the Constitution and laws of this State, or of the United States. And all powers, privileges and immunities, granted by this Act to the proprietors aforesaid, shall extend to their assigns and legal representatives.

May pass bylaws and adopt regulations.

Proviso.

## FRYBURG TOMB CORPORATION.

**SECT. 7.** *Be it further enacted,* That the first meeting of the said Corporation shall be called by Benjamin Wyman and James Hobbs Jr., by personally notifying each person named in this Act, or by leaving a written notice of the time and place of their meeting, at their last or usual place of abode three days at least before the time of said meeting, and all future meetings shall be called in such manner as they by their by-laws shall provide.

Mode of calling  
first meeting.

**SECT. 8.** *Be it further enacted,* That the private property of each Stockholder or member of said Company shall be holden for the debts of said Corporation; and the officer in whose hands may be placed an Execution against said Corporation, is hereby authorized to levy the same on the real or personal property of any one of the members thereof, which liability of the members of said Corporation shall continue and hold for one year from the time any individual shall cease to be a member thereof.

Private property  
of Stockholders  
holden for debts  
of Corporation.

## STATE OF MAINE.

Secretary of State's Office, }  
AUGUSTA, July 11, 1835. }

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That the Laws contained in this Pamphlet have been compared with the originals deposited in this Office; and that they appear to have been correctly printed.

ASAPH R. NICHOLS, Secretary of State.



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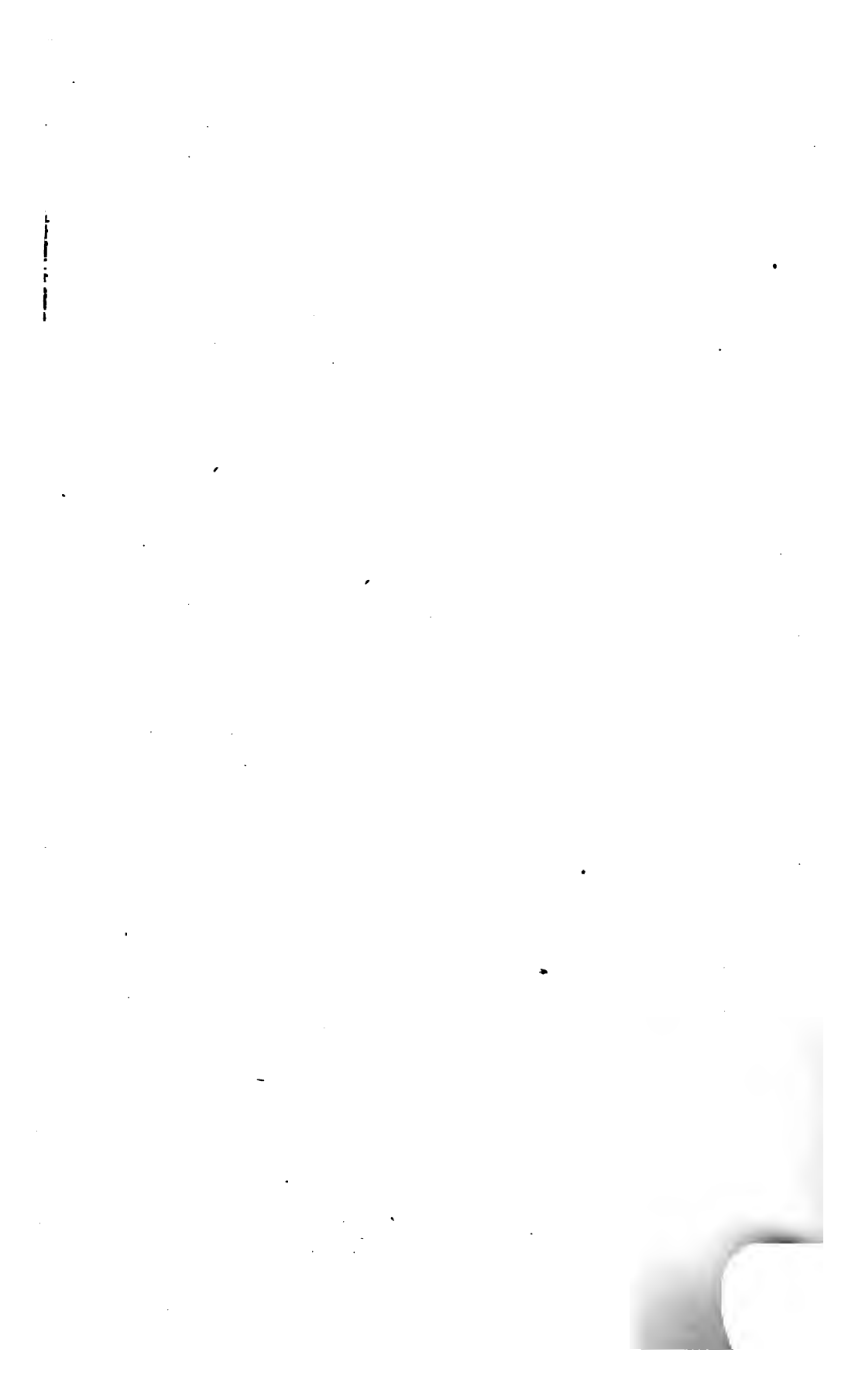
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